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Post-War Program

FIRST TASK FLEET

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Commander First Task Fleet

THE wartime function of the Fifth Fleet is now a record of glorious victory in the Pacific. The importance of its peacetime function of fleet training was as great to our peacetime Navy as was its wartime task to our Navy at war. Under the reorganization of the Navy effective 1 January 1947, the Fifth Fleet became the First Task Fleet with the same assigned duties.

Adm. Montgomery

The U. S. Pacific Fleet is organized under the Type Commanders for training, administration, maintenance, and logistics. This Fleet constitutes a pool of sea, air, and ground components for ready assignment to task fleet or task forces for operational missions. In the Pacific there are two task fleet commands. The Naval Forces Western Pacific is now operating in the western Pacific to support the United States foreign policy and our occupation forces in that area. Commander First Task Fleet is located on the West Coast to conduct fleet exercises in the Pacific and coordinate inter-type training. The First Task Fleet is a tactical organization and as such is organized and when directed operates a heavy striking force. The Staff of First Task Fleet during peacetime is a nucleus group composed of officers especially qualified in all branches of the naval service: air, surface, submarines, and amphibious warfare. The Commander First Task Fleet and his Staff prepare plans and operational orders and direct the tactical employment for specific operational task which may be assigned. It is the duty of the Commander First Task Fleet to train the fighting team.

The importance of the First Task Fleet in its current assignment cannot be overstressed. A guarantee of American security and world peace calls for a strong military setup. To do the best with what we have, the current peacetime Navy must be trained and maintained at top fighting efficiency. The reduction in the size of our Navy to about one-sixth its size within a period of a year, brought on major problems of readjustment. Once our forces are stabilized, every individual man and every individual ship and every individual fleet must be brought up to perfection in modern warfare. All plans must be made not only for the current Navy but for a Navy six times its present size. Should our country ever again be

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Murray Gutke Photo

The United Nations Military Staff Committee, photographed at it's interim headquarters, the Henry Hudson Hotel, New York City. Seated, left to right: General of the Army Ho Ying-Chin (China); Lt. Gen. P. Billotte (France); Lt. Gen. A. Vasiliev (Russia); Admiral Sir Henry Moore (United Kingdom); Admiral R. K. Turner (United States). Standing, left to right: Lt. Gen. Mow Pong-Tsu (Chinese Air Force); Capt. Tang Chin-Sino (Chinese Navy); Admiral R. Moullec (French Navy); Col. A. Lauzin (French Air Force); Lt. Gen. A. P. Sharagov (Russian Air Force); Vice Adm. V. L. Bogdenko (Russian Navy); Gen. Sir Edwin L. Morris (United Kingdom Army); Air Chief Marshal Sir Guy Garrod (United Kingdom); Lt. Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway (United States Army); Brig. Gen. C. P. Cabell (United States Air Force).

Committee to Consider Army and Navy Nurse Corps Bills Jointly

In the first example of joint consideration of separate bills submitted by the War and Navy Departments on the same subject, the Subcommittee on Hospitalization, Health (Medical Corps) of the House Committee on Armed Services will meet 6 February to begin hearings on bills to be offered for the reorganization of the Army Nurse Corps and the Navy Nurse Corps.

The Army bill, which will be virtually the same as the one submitted too late last year for consideration before adjournment of the 79th Congress, is designed to give the Nurse Corps a permanent status and the nurses a Regular Commission ratings with rights to the same pay and retirement benefits as are given other officers. Most of these rights are now dependent upon emergency legislation which will expire with the end of the war.

The Navy Bill is similar in intent. It has been approved by the Bureau of the Budget and will soon be sent to Congress.

Mrs. Smith of Maine is chairman of the subcommittee and its members are: Representatives Bates, Shafer, Anderson, Blackney, Gavin, Farrington, Rivers, Durham, Philbin, Winstead, and Bartlett.

At a meeting of this sub-committee this week held for organization and policy-setting purposes, the chairman of the full Armed Services Committee, Representative Walter G. Andrews (R-N.Y.) and the ranking member of the minority, Representative Carl Vinson (D-Ga.) were present as ex-officio members.

Navy Seeks to Establish "Medical Associated Sciences Corps"

The Navy Department this week asked Congress to grant it authority to set up a "Medical Associated Sciences Corps" in the Medical Department as a permanent part of the Regular Navy.

In response to the request Senator Chan Gurney (R-SD), Chairman of the Senate Committee on Armed Services, introduced the Navy's proposed draft as S. 345.

By the terms of the bill, not to exceed 205 scientists commissioned in the Naval Reserve would be given commissions in the Regular Navy, the Navy Department saying of them, that "These scientists by their singular efforts made many useful and revolutionary contributions without which the morbidity and mortality rate of our armed forces could not have been reduced to the lowest the world has ever known."

In urging the creation of the suggested Corps, the Navy Department pleads that "The Medical Department of the Navy cannot, in justice to the Navy nor to the United States, withdraw to the narrower field of pre-war research."

In his letter to the committee, Acting Secretary of the Navy Sullivan said:

"The purpose of the proposed legislation is to establish a Medical Associated Sciences Corps which shall be a constituent part of the Medical Department of the Navy. Officers would be appointed in the grade of medical associated scientist with rank of lieutenant, (junior grade), to captain, inclusive. Such officers would be staff officers subject to all laws relating to the advancement in rank and retirement of officers of the Medical Corps of the Navy, and the total number of such

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House Group Prepares For Promotion Studies

With the appointment this week by the House Committee on Armed Services of a special subcommittee to consider the personnel problems of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, preparations are being made for a serious and detailed study of the promotion and retirement plans to be submitted by the Departments.

Already before the subcommittee, of which Representative Dewey Short (R-Mo) has been appointed chairman, are two retirement bills introduced by Representative Robert L. F. Sikes (D-Fla) and Representative Overton Brooks (D-La) to provide for the retirement of Army personnel in their highest war rank, as now provided for the sea services.

Soon to come before the Committees are bills setting up the permanent promotion systems for the Regular Army, Navy, and Marine Corps. Both Departments have been working on these, the Army's plans having been submitted to the Bureau of the Budget for administrative approval while the Navy's soon will go to the same agency. As for retirement, the War Department will send to the new committee the same retirement and elimination measure it recommended for enactment last year, but which failed in the Senate after it had been passed, somewhat amended, by the House.

Authorization for all Bureau Chiefs to hold the rank and pay of Vice Admirals, instead of Rear Admirals as under present law, will be sought by the Navy in its new promotion bill.

The higher rank will be asked because of the increased work load and responsibility imposed on Bureau Chiefs as the result of the Navy's growth since before the war. Although three of the seven Chiefs of Bureaus now hold the higher rank, it is only by reason of the Navy's selection of Vice Admirals for these posts.

Present law authorizes all Bureau Chiefs to hold the rank of a Rear Admiral and draw the pay of a Rear Admiral of the upper half. The Assistant Chief of the Bureau of Ships also gains this automatic advancement upon his taking office.

Bureau Chiefs now serving as Chiefs of Bureaus are Louis E. Denfeld, Personnel; George F. Hussey, jr., Ordnance; and Earl W. Mills, Ships. During the war, the Chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks had the services of a full Admiral, Ben Morrell, and until a few months ago, the Chief of the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery was Vice Adm. Ross T. McIntire.

Bureau Chiefs who are now Rear Admirals are Harold B. Sallada, Aeronautics; John J. Manning, Yards and Docks; Walter A. Buck, Supplies and Accounts; and Clifford A. Swanson, Medicine and Surgery.

Members of the new subcommittee, in addition to Chairman Short, are Republican Representatives Arends of Illinois, Cole of New York, Bates of Massachusetts, Smith of Maine, and Gavin of Pennsylvania; and Democratic Representa-

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U. S. Daily Press Views

Merger Plan

New York *Herald Tribune*—"Like every really good plan, it is only a starting point."

Los Angeles *Times*—"All in all, it appears a satisfactory compromise."

Washington *Post*—"The scheme which the armed services have produced cannot by any stretch of the imagination be called either a merger or unification."

Fort Worth *Star-Telegram*—"Despite the warm approval of the plan by its sponsors, it should be studied critically by Congress because the proposal apparently is one for reorganization rather than unification."

Baltimore *Sun*—"The plan's overall effectiveness, as it stands on paper, is difficult to appraise."

Portland *Oregonian*—"It may lead to economy in buying and lessen duplication, but these gains will be wiped out if there is continual struggle for prestige and power."

Louisville *Courier-Journal* — "The reorganization may mean little more than establishing the Air Force on a parity with the Army and Navy."

New York *Times*—"We congratulate the two present Secretaries of War and Navy on their ability to reach this ultimate agreement on the real essentials."

Dallas *News*—"Our military mountain has labored and, if the result of its pains is not merely a mouse, it is most certainly not unification."

Philadelphia *Inquirer*—"The plan as now offered, or with such modifications as may be necessary, should be worked out without undue delay."

Milwaukee *Journal*—"In itself, the plan does not offer much in the way of certain economies, because it leaves actual merger of activities or units almost completely out of the picture."

Cincinnati *Times-Star*—"It is an integration, not a merger."

New Orleans *States*—"The unification plan accepted by the Army and the Navy is a sound compromise promising better coordination of all the armed forces for national defense."

St. Louis *Star Times*—"The proposal shakes down to one for a partnership to eliminate some of the worst excesses of military competition."

Minneapolis *Tribune*—"There is no assurance that there will be thorough integration and consequently increased efficiency and economy as a result of this proposal."

Navy Enlisted Ratings

A new rating structure for enlisted men of the Navy was approved 28 Jan. by Secretary Forrestal, and will be adopted throughout the Fleet and shore establishment on or about 1 Jan. 1948.

The new rating structure reshapes the present one into 11 occupational rating groups, each with a warrant officer title and classification at its head, so as to establish each rating as the vehicle for an occupational career.

The new structure includes general service ratings for peacetime use, and, in addition, a set of emergency service ratings for utilization in event of war. All of the general service ratings carry two-letter, capitalized abbreviations.

BuPers C/L 25-47, which will appear in a forthcoming issue of the Semi-Monthly Bulletin, sets forth the new enlisted rating structure and explains how the changeover will be made.

Qualifications for each of the new ratings have been prepared, and will be published to the Service in the front of Training Course Manuals or the appropriate rating. The course books, as well as curriculum at training schools, are being revised in line with the new structure, and new rating badges and other aids are being prepared.

Following distribution of the new Training Course Manuals, each enlisted man will be required to requalify for one of the new general service ratings, and will also be assigned an emergency service rating. The changeover to the new rates, however, will be made all at one time, under present plans.

The new rating structure recognizes several lessons of the war, and incorporates some wartime specialties into permanent use. Chief among these are fire-fighting, damage control, fire control technicians, communications, and SeaBee functions. The existing ratings for the lowest three pay grades will be changed drastically. The title of Apprentice Seaman will be replaced by "Seaman Recruit," the rating of Airman and Airman Apprentice will absorb the functions of seaman strikers in the aviation group.

From Seaman Recruit, each recruit may advance either to Seaman Apprentice, Fireman Apprentice, Airman Apprentice, or Hospital Apprentice, and then have the prospect of advancement to a warrant title and classification in his chosen specialty.

In anticipation of installation of mechanical devices aboard all ships, the rating of Buglemaster has been abolished, and buglemaster duties will be collateral duties for Quartermasters.

A breakdown of the new rating structure follows:

DECK—Boatswain's Mate (BM), Quartermaster (QM), Radarman (RD), Sonarman (SO).

The rating of Coxswain has been eliminated. The rating of Signalman has been abolished, and all will become QM.

ORDNANCE—Torpedoman's Mate (TM), Gunner's Mate (GM), Fire Controlman (FC), Fire Control Technician (FT).

The first two ratings, TM and GM, were proposed to the fleet as Underwater Ordnanceman and Surface Ordnanceman, respectively. Because of criticism of these titles, however, old titles will be used. TM rating includes Minemen. FC will operate and perform upkeep on computers, stable elements, optics, and fire control radar. FT will perform major repair and overhaul.

ELECTRONICS — Electronics Technician's Mate (ET).

ET will maintain, repair, and overhaul all electronic equipment.

PRECISION EQUIPMENT—Instrumentman (IM), Opticalman (OM).

IM combines functions of present SA1 ratings. OM is same as present rating.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND CLERICAL—Teleman (TE), Radioman (RM), Communications Technician (CT), Yeoman (YN), Personnel Man (PN), Machine Accountant (MA), Storekeeper (SK), Disbursing Clerk (DK), Commissaryman (CS), Ship's Serviceman (SH), Journalist (JO).

TE will perform communications, clerical, and coding board duties, operate voice radios and teletypewriters; perform functions of mail clerks at naval post offices; operate and perform upkeep on electric cipher machines. PN is a combination of several specialist ratings, and will assist executive officers, personnel, classification, training, and welfare officers in interviewing, classifying and training enlisted personnel. MA will operate, maintain and make minor repairs to punch-card machines. SK embraces former SK and SKT ratings; SKV is under aviation. DK is the former SKD rating. CS combines functions of cook, butcher, baker, and chief commissary steward; however, men may specialize as cooks or bakers in pay grades 4-to-2, incl. SH combines functions of present ship's service ratings, sales clerks, and ship's service management.

MISCELLANEOUS—Printer (PI), Lithographer (LI), Draftsman (DM), Musician (MU), Seaman (SN), Seaman Apprentice (SA).

SN combines present function of S1 and Bugler first ratings. Buglers will be Seamen, and primarily will be strikers for QM rating. SA is the same as present S2 rating.

ENGINEERING AND HULL—Machinist's Mate (MM), Engineman (EN), Machinery Repairman (MR), Boilerman (BT), Electrician's Mate (EM), I. C. Electrician (IC), Metalsmith (ME), Pipe Fitter (FP), Damage Controlman (DC), Underwater Mechanic (UM), Patternmaker (PM), Molder (ML).

MM remains shipboard rate, and MR is shop machinist. BN is former Water Tender rate. IC is responsible for IC systems, gyros, etc. EN will operate, maintain, and repair both Diesel and high-powered gasoline main propulsion engines and auxiliaries. ME combines portions of old Ship Fitter rating for metal work including welding, forging and metal shaping. FP also combines portions of old SF rating for steamfitter, plumber and coppersmith. DC combines Carpenter's Mate ratings for duty as fire prevention, fire-fighting, and damage control; to perform functions as painter.

CONSTRUCTION — Surveyor (SV), Construction Electrician's Mate (CE), Driver (CD), Mechanic (CM), Builder (BU), Steelworker (SW), Utilities Man (UT), Fireman (FN), Fireman Apprentice (FA).

These are primarily former SeaBee ratings. CE is the former EM(CB) rating, CD the former MM(CB) rating for operation and maintenance of automotive and heavy construction equipment such as trucks, tractors, bulldozers, etc. FN is the same as present F1 rating, and FA same as present F2 rating.

AVIATION — Aviation Machinist's Mate (AD), Aviation Electronics Technician (AT), Aviation Electronicsman (AL), Aviation Ordnanceman (AO), Air Controlman (AC), Airship Rigger (AR), Aviation Boatswain's Mate (AB), Aviation Electrician's Mate (AE), Aviation Structural Mechanic (AM), Parachute Rigger (PR), Aerographer's Mate (AG), Tradevmen (TD), Aviation Storekeepers (AK), Photographer's Mate (PH), Airman (AN), Airman Apprentice (AA).

AD is the former AMM rating. AT embraces former ARM and AETM ratings, for both operating and maintenance of aircraft electronics equipment. AO is the former AOM rating. AY is a combination of several specialist ratings, will control aircraft traffic afloat and ashore. AE combines functions of AEM and AMMI. AM will maintain, repair and overhaul aircraft structures and hydraulic equipment. PH will be the same as present Photographer's Mate. AR, ABM, and AG are virtually identical with present ratings. AN absorbs function of S1 rating for aviation group, AA function of S2 assigned to aviation group.

MEDICAL — Hospital Corpsman (HM), Hospitalman (HN), Hospital Apprentice (HA), Seaman Recruit (SR).

HM is the same as present Pharmamist's Mate rating, HN the same as present HA1, and HA same as present HA2. SR is same as present AS rating; normal path of advancement will be to Seaman Apprentice, Fireman Apprentice, Airman Apprentice, and Hospital Apprentice.

STEWARD—Steward (SD), Stewardsman (TN), Steward Apprentice (TA), Steward Recruit (TR).

SD combines functions of present CK and ST ratings. TN is same as present STM1, TA same as present STM2, and TR same as present STM3.

Senators Visit War Dept.

Members of the Senate Committee on Armed Services met at The Pentagon 30 Jan. with War Department heads to discuss the Army's legislative program and receive a briefing on War Department organization, plans and policies.

Present were Secretary of War Patterson, Under Secretary of War Royall, Assistant Secretary of War Petersen, Assistant Secretary of War for Air Symington, General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower, Chief of Staff; Maj. Gen. Willard S. Paul, Director of Personnel and Administration; Lt. Gen. LeRoy Lutes, Director of Service, Supply and Procurement; Maj. Gen. Stephen J. Chamberlain, Director of Intelligence; Maj. Gen. Lauris Norstad, Director of Plans and Operations; Lt. Gen. C. P. Hall, Director of Organization and Training; Maj. Gen. Henry S. Aurand, Director of Research and Development, and Lt. Gen. J. Lawton Collins, Chief of War Department Information.

Five members of the Committee were present: Senator Gurney (R-SD) Chairman, Senator Robertson (R-Wyo), Senator Tydings (D-Md), Senator Russell (D-Ga), and Senator Hill (D-Ala).

The committee members were luncheon guests of Secretary Patterson prior to the meeting.

Describing the conference, Senator Gurney told the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL: "We found out what makes the War Department tick, the reason for asking for important things from Congress. We must have a complete picture as a basis for legislation; the cooperation of all branches of the War and Navy Departments has been total—we were given a fine presentation and a complete background."

As many of the committee meetings as possible, Senator Gurney said, will be open when the subjects discussed at the War Department conference are taken up in connection with legislation.

The presentation made the Senators by General Staff heads was similar to those which the Army, both in Washington and throughout the country, has been making to outstanding civilian groups during the past few months.

These presentations include an outline of the post-war military establishment and its manpower problems, lessons taught by the last war, nature of future warfare, and mission of the Armed Forces.

Top-level speakers have presented these programs in several cities and before diverse civilian groups. These tours have been supplemented by other Army speakers appearing throughout the country.

Neuropsychiatry Course

A 16-week course in Military Neuropsychiatry will commence 17 Feb. at Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston.

Hennessy Committee Recalled

Members of the Hennessy Committee on Army Food Service Activities have again been invited to meet with the Secretary of War and the Chief of Staff for a discussion of food problems.

Originally formed in Aug. 1945, the first report of the committee was submitted to the Secretary of War in Apr. 1946.

President to View Fleet

President Truman plans to view Atlantic Fleet tactical training exercises in the Caribbean in March, Presidential Secretary Charles Ross has announced. The exercises are scheduled to begin 2 Feb., and continue through 19 March.

Although plans for the President's visit with the Fleet are indefinite, Mr. Ross declared, the President now hopes to leave Washington soon after returning from his good will mission to Mexico City set for early March. Mr. Truman would witness maneuvers, during the first two weeks in March.

This would be the second time President Truman has embarked for fleet training exercises. He visited on the carrier USS Franklin D. Roosevelt during exercises last spring, but was forced to cut short his tour by the death of Supreme Court Justice Harlan F. Stone.

The Navy will follow up the fleet exercises with special amphibious exercises. Fleet exercises have been scheduled in the Pacific from 24 Feb. to 31 March.

Unification of Services

Legislation embodying principles of the joint Army-Navy agreement on unification is being drafted for presentation to Congress at an early date.

Senator Arthur Vandenberg, president pro-tem of the Senate, has announced that when the unification legislation is received, the Senate may be called on to decide whether it will be referred to the Committee on Executive Expenditures or the Committee on Armed Services.

Senator George D. Aiken (R-Vt), chairman of the Executive Expenditures committee, has written formally to ask that the unification bill be referred to his committee, which is charged with responsibility for measures related to reorganization of executive departments of the Federal government.

The Navy, meanwhile, has advised all of its personnel by Alnav that the unification plan should receive their full support.

Restudy War Authorities

The War and Navy Departments will be called upon by the Senate Committee on Armed Services to present it with a study of all temporary and permanent emergency and wartime legislation together with its plans and recommendations concerning the extension, cessation, or substitution of the authorities or organizations contained therein.

This action is necessitated by S. Res. 35 which was adopted by the Senate 29 Jan., requiring each standing committee to make a full and complete study of such legislation as falls within its jurisdiction and to make recommendations concerning it to the Committee on Judiciary not later than 15 Mar. The Judiciary committee, in turn, is required to review and correlate these recommendations and submit its own recommendations to the Senate not later than 1 Apr.

Armed Services Sub-Committees

With the selection this week of members of the House Committee on Armed Services who will constitute the membership of its 12 sub-committees, the full committee prepared to get under full headway in considering legislation submitted to it.

In apportioning to the committees the bills on hand, Chairman Andrews stated that after hearings have been held by a sub-committee and a report has been made by it to the full committee, a unanimous report by a subcommittee will ordinarily make unnecessary any further hearings by the full committee.

Lauding the work of the Military Naval Committees of the 78th and 79th Congresses, Representative Vinson (D-Ga.), former chairman of the Naval Committee and now ranking Democrat on the merged committees, urged that "there must be no partisanship on matters related to National Security, as National Defense is a sacred trust. The Armed Services must remain strong in order to guarantee peace."

Present as an observer of the organizing of the sub-committees was Under Secretary of the Navy John L. Sullivan, who stated that the Navy Department has 80 bills already submitted or to be submitted, 38 of them having reached Congress and 30 having been approved by the Bureau of the Budget.

Present also as observers were Capt. Ira H. Nunn, of the Office of the JAG of the Navy, Legislative Liaison Officer for the Secretary of the Navy; Brig. Gen. Ralph F. Stearley, War Department Special Staff, representing the Legislative Liaison Division of the War Department; Col. Charles H. MacDonald, AC, of the Legislative Liaison Division of the War Department Special Staff, and Col. J. W. Knighton, USMC, Legal Aide to the Commandant of the Marine Corps.

As announced by Chairman Andrews, following are the subcommittees and the legislative subjects under their jurisdiction:

Subcommittee No. 1
PERSONNEL

All manpower matters including: Requirements for officers, enlisted men, and civilian personnel of the Navy and War Departments, Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Air Forces, and their civilian components; authorized strengths; allocation of personnel with occupational specialties in short supply, e. g., technological specialties; personnel procurement problems, including recruiting, enlistment, reenlistment, and Selective Service; term of enlistments; discharge and retirement policies; manpower control, personnel reporting, and accounting methods and procedures, and all other matters affecting strength of the armed forces.

Mr. Short, Chairman	Mr. Drewry
Mr. Arends	Mr. Johnson of Texas
Mr. Cole	Mr. Kilday
Mr. Bates	Mr. Sikes
Mrs. Smith	
Mr. Gavin	

Subcommittee No. 2
EDUCATION AND TRAINING

All educational and training systems, policies, methods, and procedures within the Navy and War Departments, the armed services and their civilian components including the National Guard and Reserves; Military and Naval academies; National War College; Officer Candidate Schools; General and Special Service Schools; Military and Naval Reserve Officer Training systems; Universal Military Training; Armed Forces Institute; information and indoctrination programs within the armed services, etc.

Mr. Towe, Chairman	Mr. Thomason
Mr. Short	Mr. Sasscer
Mr. Arends	Mr. Sikes
Mr. Thomas	Mr. Winstead
Mr. Norblad	Mr. Fernos-Isern
Mr. Van Zandt	

Subcommittee No. 3
ORGANIZATION AND MOBILIZATION

Over-all organization and plans for national security; military and industrial mobilization plans, including plans for the mobilization of all national resources for war, as well as mobilization of the armed services and their civilian components including the National Guard and Reserves; plans for coordination of foreign and military policy and for coordination of civilian and military war economies; occupation armies, military government, and all other military operations of the armed services overseas; base defense; long-range reconnaissance and security measures; intelligence measures; counteroffensive measures; measures for the defense of the continental United States; civil defense; defense of industry and key installations against long-range atomic attack; stockpiles of strategic materials; plans for defense against airborne attacks; international military cooperation, including participation in United Nations Security Force. This subcommittee will keep closely informed of all plans and operations of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, with the State Department and with the Central Intelligence Group to insure that all legislation affecting the military policy of the United States is consonant with the foreign policy and with over-all security plans. All legislation affecting the organization of the Navy and War Departments, the armed services, and their several civilian components including the National Guard and Reserves, will be referred to this subcommittee.

Mr. Shafer, Chairman	Mr. Brooks
Mr. Short	Mr. Johnson of Texas
Mr. Cole	Mr. Durham
Mr. Johnson of California	Mr. Sasscer
Mr. Bishop	Mr. Fernos-Isern
Mr. Van Zandt	
Mr. Farrington	

Subcommittee No. 4
HEAVY MUNITIONS

The procurement and production of all heavy industrial munitions of war for the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marines, requiring extraordinary tooling-up of industry and large quantities of strategic materials, including ship (and submarine) construction (and the "mothballing" of ships); heavy Army and Navy Ordnance, heavy transportation equipment, etc. (but not including aircraft or other heavy industrial production peculiar to aerial operations).

Mr. Hess, Chairman	Mr. Heffernan
Mr. Thomas	Mr. Drewry
Mr. Anderson	Mr. Philbin
Mr. Johnson of California	Mr. Hebert
Mr. Bishop	Mr. Bartlett
Mr. Van Zandt	
Mr. Farrington	

Subcommittee No. 5
AIR MATERIEL

The procurement and production of all materiel peculiar to aerial operations.

Mr. Clason, Chairman	Mr. Johnson of Texas
Mr. Arends	Mr. Brooks
Mr. Hess	Mr. Rivers
Mr. Elston	Mr. Winstead
Mr. Johnson of California	Mr. Fernos-Isern

Subcommittee No. 6
PROCUREMENT AND SUPPLY

This subcommittee is concerned with (a) requirements and allocations of all munitions, materials, supplies and production facilities, as between the several armed services; (b) the procurement and production of all munitions, equipment and supplies (other than heavy munitions and materiel peculiar to aerial operations); and (c) with the distribution, maintenance, repair, and salvage of all materiel (including heavy munitions and air materiel).

Mr. Anderson, Chairman	Mr. Philbin
	Mr. Drewry
Mr. Thomas	Mr. Heffernan
Mr. Bates	Mr. Hebert
Mr. Towe	
Mr. Bishop	
Mr. Van Zandt	

Subcommittee No. 7
SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

All matters concerned with the maintenance of the supremacy of the United States in research and development in scientific warfare through the National Academy of Sciences and otherwise, including: nuclear physics and atomic warfare; guided missiles and pilotless aircraft; chemical and bacteriological warfare and new developments in aerial, naval and ground warfare as well as general scientific developments of military or naval application or interest.

Mr. Johnson of California, Chairman	Mr. Durham
	Mr. Thomason
Mr. Arends	Mr. Sasscer
Mr. Clason	Mr. Sikes
Mr. Elston	
Mr. Anderson	
Mrs. Smith	

Subcommittee No. 8
POSTS AND STATIONS

All military, naval, and air posts, camps, stations, Navy yards, bases, armories, arsenals, overseas installations, and all other facilities and services including communications and transportation systems, engineering and construction, administration of real estate (including military parks, battlefields, and cemeteries) and all other logistical, technical, and supply services (except hospitalization, sanitation, and health).

Mr. Bates, Chairman	Mr. Sasscer
Mr. Arends	Mr. Brooks
Mr. Cole	Mr. Johnson of Texas
Mr. Shafer	Mr. Kilday
Mr. Hess	Mr. Bartlett
Mr. Gavin	
Mr. Farrington	

Subcommittee No. 9
HOSPITALIZATION, HEALTH (MEDICAL CORPS)

All medical matters including hospitalization, evacuation, sanitation, health, venereal disease control, mental hygiene, neuropsychiatry, dentistry, veterinary medicine, nursing, dietetics, physiotherapy and the medical organizations of the armed services.

Mrs. Smith, Chairman	Mr. Rivers
Mr. Bates	Mr. Durham
Mr. Shafer	Mr. Philbin
Mr. Anderson	Mr. Winstead
Mr. Blackney	Mr. Bartlett
Mr. Gavin	
Mr. Farrington	

Subcommittee No. 10
PAY, ADMINISTRATION

All personnel, financial and clerical administration not included within the purview of the Subcommittee on Personnel, including: promotion, pay and accounts, allowances, pensions, retired pay, soldiers and sailors' relief, soldiers and sailors' homes, personnel records, assignment of personnel, personnel management, classification of personnel.

Mr. Blackney, Chairman	Mr. Sikes
	Mr. Durham
Mr. Cole	Mr. Heffernan
Mr. Shafer	Mr. Hebert
Mr. Elston	
Mr. Towe	
Mr. Gavin	

Subcommittee No. 11
LEGAL

This subcommittee has jurisdiction of all investigations not assigned to other subcommittees and of planning all investigatory activities of the Committee as a whole. All the legal business of the Committee, including questions of subpena, committee jurisdiction and legal procedure, statutory drafting, etc., are referred to this Committee. This subcommittee will review and consider all proposals for the reform of existing systems of military and naval justice.

Mr. Elston, Chairman	Mr. Kilday
Mr. Clason	Mr. Thomason
Mr. Hess	Mr. Brooks
Mr. Johnson of California	Mr. Rivers
Mr. Towe	
Mr. Norblad	

Subcommittee No. 12
PLANS, ORGANIZATION AND POLICY OF THE COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES

This subcommittee serves as a steering, executive, and policy subcommittee for the Committee as a whole. It is concerned with agendas, priorities, schedules of hearings, and over-all policy and organization of the Committee. In addition, all matters involving awards, decorations, and monuments will be referred to this subcommittee.

Mr. Andrews, Chairman	Mr. Vinson
	Mr. Drewry
Mr. Short	Mr. Thomason
Mr. Arends	
Mr. Cole	

Note—The Chairman and the Ranking Minority Member are ex officio members of all subcommittees.

Committee Staff

In connection with the formation of the professional and clerical staff of the new Armed Services Committee of the House, Representative Andrews listed the following:

John R. Blandford, Buffalo, N. Y., on loan from the firm of Hodgson, Russ, Andrews, Woods and Goodyear of Buffalo, N. Y. Mr. Blandford is a graduate of the Yale Law School; enlisted in the Marine Corps during the war and was with the First Division of the Marine Corps in Guadalcanal; subsequently in the Legal Department of both the Marine Corps and the Navy Department in Washington, prior to his present law practice in Buffalo. Left the service in the grade of major.

Other members of the professional staff are to be:

Bryce N. Harlow, Oklahoma City, Okla. Went into the Army through the R. O. T. C. at the outset of the war. Worked in the office of the Chief of Staff, General George C. Marshall. Recorded Inter-Allied Conference, leading to the invasion of Africa. Subsequently worked in the Legislative Liaison Section of the War Department; Law degree from the University of Oklahoma. Discharged from the service in the grade of lt. colonel.

Clinton B. D. Brown, New York City, N. Y. Graduate of Columbia Law School—with the office of Cravath DeGersdorff, Swaine and Wood in New York City. Enlisted in the Navy; commissioned and took part in the Normandy Beach Landing in the line of the Navy. Up until the present time with War Assets Corporation, Washington.

Robert W. Smart, Aurora, Mo. Enlisted in the Army as a private—Graduate of School of Military Government, Charlottesville. Numerous other legal assignments with the Army. As a commissioned officer had experience throughout the Pacific, particularly Korea. Graduate Missouri Law School and formerly a prosecuting attorney.

Chief Clerk—Robert H. Harper, Ga. Previously served for short time as Chief Clerk for the House Naval Affairs Committee. Entered Army Air Corps as first lieutenant. Served in numerous administrative positions of importance with the Army. Discharged in the grade of colonel.

Assistant Clerk—Townsend Hoopes, Buffalo, N. Y. Graduate of Yale University. Enlisted in the Marine Corps as a private and served with the Marines at Iwo Jima. Discharged in the grade of 1st lieutenant. Employed by the Buffalo Evening News and more recently by Boland and Cornelius of Buffalo.

Appropriations Subcommittees

Heading the House of Representatives subcommittees handling Appropriations for the Army and Navy are two seasoned members of Congress who through many years of experience with Service Budgets, in peace and war, are thoroughly conversant with the problems and needs of the Armed Forces.

The Naval subcommittee is headed by Representative Charles A. Plumley (R) of Northfield, Vt., while Representative Albert J. Engle (R) of Muskegon, Mich., is chairman of the War Department subcommittee.

Representative Plumley, whose military career began as a captain in the Vermont National Guard in 1901 and who is now a colonel in the Officers Reserve of the Army, was from 1920 to 1934 president of Norwich University, the outstanding military civilian college in the East. He was a prominent member of the Vermont Bar and formerly was president of the Norwich National Bank. He began public life early, having served as assistant clerk and then clerk of the Vermont House of Representatives and later as a member and speaker of the House. He is now serving his eighth term in the House.

Representative Engel, also a lawyer in civil life, enlisted in 1917, but was soon commissioned and served as a first lieutenant and then as a captain, serving 23 months in France and Germany in World War I. His public life began in the Michigan State Senate to which he was elected in 1921, '27, '29, and '31. He is serving his seventh term in the House.

Army Sub-committee

Other members of the War Department subcommittee in the House are:

Francis Case (R-S.D.); newspaper publisher in civil life, served in the USMC in WW-I; later commissioned in the U. S. Army Reserve and the Marine Corps Reserve; serving his 6th term in Congress.

Harve Tibbott (R-Pa); pharmacist and Bank President in civil life; serving his fourth term in Congress.

Errett P. Scrivner (R-Kan); enlisted in Battery B, 129th F.A., in WW-I, served overseas with the 35th Division; awarded the silver star and Purple Heart medals; Lawyer in civil life; past State Commander of the American Legion; serving his third term in Congress.

John H. Kerr (D-N.C.); lawyer in civil life; served 7 years as judge of the superior court; serving in his 13th term in Congress.

George H. Mahon, (D-Tex.); lawyer in civil life, district attorney 32nd judicial district 7 years; serving his 7th term in Congress.

W. F. Norrell (D-Ark.); lawyer in civil life; veteran of WW-1; served 8 successive years in the State Senate; President of the State Senate, 1933-1937, during which time he was acting Governor of the State several times; serving his 5th term in Congress

Naval subcomittee

Those on the House Naval sub-committee of the Appropriations Committee are:

Noble J. Johnson (R-Ind.); lawyer in civil life; prosecuting attorney for the 43rd judicial district 4 years; serving his 8th term in Congress.

Walter C. Ploeser (R-Mo); lawyer and head of insurance corporations in civil life; member of the House of Representatives of the 56th General Assembly of the Missouri Legislature, 1931, 1932; serving his 4th term in Congress.

Errett P. Scrivner (R-Kan.)—See biography in list of Republicans on Military sub-committee, of which he is also a member.

Harry P. Sheppard (D-Calif.); engaged in railroading, copper, and other lines of business in civil life; retired from business in 1934; serving his 6th term in Congress.

Albert Thomas (D-Tex.); veteran of WW-1; serving his 6th term in Congress.

Thomas D'Alesandro (D-Md.); in brokerage and insurance business in civil life; elected 1926 and 1930 to the State house of delegates; elected a member of the Baltimore City Council in 1935; serving his 5th term in Congress.

Did You Read—

the following important service stories last week:

Details of permanent Navy Nurse Corps legislation?

Committee action to be urged on Army Retirement Bill?

Marine Corps officer reductions?

War Department policy on travel allowance of newly-integrated officers?

Bill introduced for increased Service Academies pay?

If not, you did not read the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL. You cannot obtain this data from any other source.

UNITED STATES ARMY

West Point Physical Tests

The War Department, under date of 22 Jan., circularized all members of Congress informing them that physical tests for entrance to the U. S. Military Academy will be increased beginning with the 1 July 1947 examinations for admission. The information given to the Congressmen is as follows:

"Your attention is invited to the inclosed notice which announces a recent change made by the Secretary of War in the entrance requirements to the United States Military Academy, effective for admission thereto on 1 July 1947, the next regular date of admission.

"The change mentioned provides that each candidate, regardless of the type of appointment held, must qualify in physical aptitude in addition to meeting the existing mental and physical requirements. Physical aptitude will be determined by a one-hour examination to be conducted upon completion of all other examinations at the annual entrance examination on 4 March 1947 and at the special examination to be held at West Point, N. Y., on 17 June 1947.

"Each candidate holding an appointment for admission to the Military Academy on 1 July 1947 is being furnished a copy of the inclosed notice."

The notice referred to indicates that performances equivalent to those indicated in the following specified tests will qualify the candidates for consideration:

1—Vertical jump—17 inches; 2—standing broad jump, for distance—6' 9"; 3—three broad jumps for distance—20½'; 4—Pullups, 3; 5—Dips, 3; 6—Pushups, 16; 7—Dodge run, through a maze on the gymnasium floor—27 seconds; 8—300 yard run, indoor, on a track 11 laps to the mile, 46.7 seconds; 9—300 yards-shuttle run on the gymnasium floor between 2 turning blocks 25 yards apart—65 seconds; 10—100 yard run—shuttle run in the gymnasium betwen 2 turning blocks 25 yards apart—18.9 seconds; 11—50 yard shuttle run, 8.7 seconds; 12—Bar vault, 4' 6"; 13—Burpee test for 20 seconds—10½ times—from standing, to squat, to leaning, to rest, to squat, to standing; 14—Squat jumps, 28 times; 15—Sit-ups, 30, with feet held by partner; 16—Sit-ups for speed—20 times, lying on the gymnasium mat with toes hooked under a bar—30 seconds; 17—Softball throw, 140 feet; 18—Basketball throw, 65 feet; 19—Medicine ball put, 33 feet; 20—Hop, step, and jump, 20 feet; 21—100 yard pick-a-back carry, by shuttling around stakes 25 yards apart, the one carried being within 10 pounds of the carrier's weight, 27 seconds; 22—Rope climb, 10½ feet, 7 seconds.

With the notice went the suggestion that candidates begin training immediately for these tests.

Integration of AAF Officers

Approximately 10,000 officers in the Army Air Forces will be commissioned in the Regular Army in additional increments of the total of 50,000 Regular Army officers authorized the War Department by Congress, and most of these 10,000 will be commissioned during 1947.

Maj. Gen. Fred L. Anderson, Assistant Chief of Air Staff for Personnel, described the 591 commissions which were announced this week as a "token" list.

"We were unable to process a sufficient number of applications in time for the Jan. deadline to commission in the Regular Army the number of men the Army Air Forces desires to keep," General Anderson said.

Re-screening of previous applicants for the commissions is being completed by AAF boards in addition to the screening of new applications by men who applied during the extension period which will end 31 Jan. unless extended again.

"Every effort will be made to screen as many applicants as possible for the next integration, which is now planned for May, 1947," according to Brig. Gen. Edwin Lyon, Senior Member of the Officers' Selection Board. "It is expected that the last integration will be in the Fall when those whose applications have been delayed for various reasons will be considered for commissioning," he added.

Battle Monuments Commission

The American Battle Monuments Commission has begun the preliminary work necessary to carry out its functions of providing the permanent improvements in cemeteries overseas for the dead of World War II, and of erecting suitable memorials.

General of the Armies John J. Pershing is Chairman of the Commission. Robert G. Woodside, Past Commander-in-Chief of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, is Vice Chairman. Other members are: Secretary of State George C. Marshall; General Alexander A. Vandegrift, Commandant, USMC; Senator Burnet R. Maybank of South Carolina; former Senator David A. Reed of Penn.; Brig. Gen. D. John Markey, Maryland National Guard; Judge Finis J. Garrett, Presiding Judge of the U. S. Court of Customs and Patent Appeals and former Congressman from Tenn.; Mrs. Henry Fenimore Baker of Ruxton, Md. of the Service Star Legion; Leslie L. Biffle, former Secretary of the United States Senate; and former Congressman Joseph C. Baldwin of New York. Brig. Gen. Thomas North, USA, is Secretary.

Negro Group Trains

A group of 535 officers and enlisted men of the 25th Infantry Regiment, a Negro unit stationed at Fort Benning, Ga., is currently undergoing a period of intensive training for assignment late in February to the 24th Infantry Regiment which has been selected by General of the Army Douglas MacArthur, Commander-in-Chief, Far East, for duty with the occupation forces in Japan.

The 24th Regiment has been on Okinawa since September, 1945, and an advance detachment has already arrived in Japan. The entire regiment, less one battalion, is expected to arrive by the end of January.

Army Nominations Confirmed

The Senate on 29 Jan. confirmed Army general officer nominations listed on page 448 of the 11 Jan. issue of the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL, and page 503 of the 25 Jan. issue. Also Col. Vincent J. Esposito to be a professor at West Point, and Calvin Ervin Glidewell to be a 2nd Lt. of Infantry.

Army Week Established

Army Week will be celebrated this year in addition to the traditional Army Day.

Observance plans are set forth in a letter from General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower, Chief of Staff, to commanding generals of the Army Air and Ground Forces, Military District of Washington, Army Ground Forces, Pacific; Alaskan Department, and the chiefs of the Administrative and Technical Services, the text of which follows:

"The President of the United States has stated that he will proclaim 7 April 1947 as Army Day. This day, following so closely the universal celebration of Easter, will keynote the Army's share, through its veterans, in securing the peace, and the Army's responsibility in maintaining the peace.

"In addition to the traditional Army Day, the War Department this year will celebrate Army Week during the period 6 to 12 April, inclusive. As usual, sponsorship of community celebrations must rest with civic groups and organizations, but it is my wish that commanders throughout the United States, Hawaii, and Alaska take the initiative in assuring success to those patriotic activities, which honor our veterans and the fallen of past wars. Commanders of all posts, camps, and installations will assist and cooperate in the preparation of appropriate celebrations and will actively participate to the fullest extent which resources of troops, bands, equipment, and activities will permit.

"Since centralized area control is desirable in this instance, the commanding generals of the six army areas, Hawaiian and Alaskan areas, and the Military District of Washington, will coordinate plans for this celebration at all military installations, air and ground, within their respective areas."

SS Div. Redesignated

The name of the Special Services Division of the War Department has been changed to Office, Chief of Special Services, the War Department announced 28 Jan.

The Office will be continued as an administrative service of the War Department in the postwar military establishment, and will have Army-wide functional responsibility for Post Exchanges, Post Theaters, recreational athletics and liaison with USO and Red Cross agencies. An appropriate allotment of officers will be made to Special Services. Brig. Gen. Russel B. Reynolds is Chief of Special Services.

Status of Promotion

Promotions and Vacancies on the Promotion List (Cumulative) Since 17 Jan. 1947

PROMOTION LIST

Last promotion to the grade of colonel—Shuey E. Wolfe, CAC, No. 697 (in col.); Vacancies—683; Senior Lt. Col.—Harry I. T. Creswell, Inf, No. 3.

Last promotion to the grade of Lt. Col.—Martin H. Burckes, FA, No. 253.

Last promotion to the grade of Major—James A. Ronin, AC, No. 328.

Last promotion to the grade of Captain—John M. Reynolds, AC, No. 282.

Last promotion to the grade of 1st Lt.—Frank P. Breitenbach, CAC, No. 795.

New Oversea Duty Policy

Pending a possible reduction in the length of tour of oversea duty, the War Department has placed an interim policy in effect.

Personnel serving overseas may elect to return to the Zone of the Interior prior to their completion of the prescribed oversea tour of duty provided that the actual amount of oversea time in the current tour plus not to exceed 60 days of the individual's accrued leave totals at least 30 months.

Confirmed in Regular Army

The Senate on 27 Jan. confirmed the appointment of 829 officers in the Regular Army. These officers, beginning with the name of David C. Foote and ending with Wayne E. McCoy, were nominated 8 Jan., but actually were given recess appointments last August. They were on the list published on page 1591 of the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL of 31 Aug. 1946.

Col. Converse to 2d Army

Baltimore, Md.—Col. Paul H. M. Converse, Military Attache of the American Legation, Bagdad, Iraq, from 1944 to 1946, has reported for duty with Second Army Headquarters here, Lt. Gen. Albert C. Wedemeyer, Second Army Commander, announced. Colonel Converse has been assigned for duty as Special Services Officer.

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Calendar of Legislation

H. R. 1233. Rep. McGregor (R.-Ohio)—To require that defense counsel in military or naval courts martial be of the same or higher grade than the prosecuting officer.

H. R. 1236. Rep. Andrews (R.-N. Y.)—To provide mustering-out payments for persons discharged to accept employment.

H. R. 1255. Rep. Lemke (R.-N. Dak.)—To restore allowances to retired enlisted men of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard.

S. 304. Sen. Maybank (D.-S. C.)—To provide for the redemption of terminal-leave bonds by the use of any surplus of Federal receipts over Federal expenditures.

S. 334. Sen. Gurney (R.-S. Dak.)—To establish the Medical Associated Sciences Corps in the Medical Department of the Navy.

S. 333. Sen. Gurney (R.-S. Dak)—To extend monthly family allowance benefits.

S. 335. Sen. Gurney (R.-S. Dak.) (By request)—To extend disability and death benefits to personnel of the Reserve components while on active duty or in training.

H. R. 1340. Rep. Van Zandt (R.-Pa.)—To continue veteran benefits previously granted by acts of the Congress to temporary members of the AUS, Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard, including men inducted under the provisions of the Selective Service Act, as amended.

S. 428. Sen. Magnuson (D-Wash). To provide for an increase in the combined amounts of retired pay for services as a commissioned officer and compensation from a civilain position with the Government.

S. 436. Sen. Gurney (R-S, D.). To clear up an ambiguity in relation to the date of commissioning officers in the Regular Army.

H. R. 1463. Rep. Kefauver (D-Tenn). To provide for the retirement of certain officers, and former officers of the National Guard.

H. J. Res. 96. Rep. Col, (R-N.Y.). Authorizing the President to issue posthumously to the late Lt. Gen. Roy Stanley Geiger, USMC, a commission as general, USMC.

Representative Andrews (R.-N. Y.) introduced the following bills:

H. R. 1358—Providing for the operation of naval plantations outside the continental U. S.

H. R. 1359 — To increase the authorized number of officers of the Corps of Civil Engineers of the Navy.

H. R. 1360—Relating to the Board of Visitors to the U. S. Naval Academy and postgraduate school.

H. R. 1361—To establish the commissioned grade of medical administrator in the Hospital Corps of the Navy.

H. R. 1362—To permit certain naval personnel to count all active service rendered under temporary appointment as warrant or commissioned officers in the USN or the USNR or in the USMC and the USMCR, for the purposes of promotion to commissioned warrant officer in the USN or the USMC.

H. R. 1363—To amend further the Pay Readjustment Act, as amended.

H. R. 1364—To authorize construction of aviation facilities at the U. S. Naval Academy.

H. R. 1365—To establish a Chief of Chaplains in the U. S. Navy.

H. R. 1366—To facilitate procurement of supplies and services by the War and Navy Departments.

H. R. 1367—To authorize the construction of experimental submarines.

H. R. 1369—To amend law for reorganization of the Navy Department, for the purpose of making section 3 permanently effective.

H. R. 1371—To authorize appointment for supply duty only of officers of the line of the Marine Corps.

H. R. 1372—To further amend paragraph 13 of section 127a of the National Defense Act.

H. R. 1373—To reorganize the Nurse Corps of the Navy and the Naval Reserve.

H. R. 1375—To provide for the clothing allowance of enlisted men in the Marine Corps and Marine Corps Reserve.

H. R. 1376—To authorize transportation of dependents and household effects of personnel of the Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard to overseas bases.

H. R. 1377—To increase the pay of cadets and midshipmen at the service academies.

H. R. 1378—To provide for transportation of dependents and household effects under certain conditions.

H. R. 1379—To establish the U. S. Naval Postgraduate School.

H. R. 1380—To amend the laws relating to the payment of 6 months' death gratuity to dependents of naval personnel.

H. R. 1381—To amend existing laws relating to the acceptance of decorations, orders, medals, and emblems by officers and enlisted men of the armed forces of the United States tendered them by governments of cobelligerent nations or other American Republics.

H. R. 1382—To facilitate procurement of supplies and services by certain agencies of the United States.

H. J. Res. 90—To correct an error in Public law 720, 79th Congress relative to the composition of the Naval Reserve.

H. J. Res. 92—Authorizing the presentation of the Distinguished Flying Cross to Rear Adm. Charles E. Rosendahl, USN.

Says Services Can Be Cut

Representative Katherine St. George (R-NY), newly elected member of Congress, told the Women's Republican Clubs of New York on 24 Jan. that a "highly placed Navy man" has informed Republican leaders of Congress that the budget for the Army and Navy can be cut 20% "without impairing their strength in any way."

Consulted subsequently in Washington, Mrs. St. George refused to identify the Naval officer. In her New York speech she said:

"You will hear loud outcries against cutting the appropriations for the Army and Navy. These appropriations can be cut without in any way impairing the strength or efficiency of the Armed Forces. Here again waste and extravagance have been rampant. A very highly placed Navy man (whose name I am not at liberty to divulge) stated recently to me and the Republican leaders of the House that the Budget figures for the Army and Navy could be cut 20% without impairing their strength in any way."

Mountain Warfare School

Brig. Gen. Harry B. Sherman has been assigned as commander of the Mountain and Winter Warfare School and Training Center, Camp Carson, Colo.

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New Navy Medical Branch

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officers would not exceed two hundred five. All appointments in the Medical Associated Sciences Corps would be from male citizens who have received a doctorate degree in such sciences related to medicine as the Secretary of the Navy would determine. Initial appointments would be made in accordance with the Act of April 18, 1946 (Public Law 347, 79th Congress, second session); and upon the termination of the appointive powers of the President under that Act, all other appointments would be made in the rank of lieutenant, junior grade, from male citizens between the ages of twenty-one and thirty-two years. The proposed bill also contains provisions requiring the establishment of qualifications for appointment; assignment of running mates upon the removal of the suspension of permanent promotions; limiting the command of the Medical Associated Sciences Corps; and preventing any reduction in pay or allowances by reason of appointment under the Act.

"In the expansion of the Medical Department of the Navy to meet the demands of the recent war on a global basis, several hundred persons skilled in sciences related to medicine were appointed and commissioned in the Naval Reserve with the classification of specialists in the Hospital Corps. These scientists were drawn from the fields of research in basic and applied areas which included all fields and disciplines related to function of man, and therefore encompassed the range from mathematics, physics, and engineering through psychology, physiology; bacteriology, biology and medicine proper.

"Specifically, their investigations involved: the bacteriological, physiological and biochemical facets of man's existence in order to control his well-being, thereby enabling him to cope with the multitude of complex biological insults occasioned by a military effort; the biological, psychological and psychophysiological foundations of personnel selection and training which in essence embraced not only a study of human behavior, but also of human capacities integrated with engineering design in order to simplify operations, thus bringing them within the normal range of attainment; the environmental conditions with special reference to climatologic situations likely to be encountered by naval forces, and environmental conditions aboard craft, either ship, plane or submarine."

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U. S. NAVY & MARINE CORPS

Marine Officer Reductions

New relative precedence of Marine Corps officers serving under temporary promotions to Colonel and Lieutenant Colonel, resulting from a readjustment of precedence approved by the President, was listed this week in Alnav 27.

Effective 1 Feb., the following were appointed to the grades specified, with rank from dates stated, their relative lineal precedence being indicated by application of the numbers and positions assigned in each case to the combined lineal list of 1 Jan. 1946.

TO LIEUTENANT COLONEL

Rank from 7 Aug. 1942:

W. B. Steiner, 71.5	E. B. Carney, 84.5
C. H. Hayes, 75.5	L. S. Moore, 88.5
E. A. Montgomery, 76.5	R. C. Mangrum, 90.1
	H. P. Becker, 90.2
J. M. Daly, 79.1	J. S. Homberg, 90.3
R. D. Salmon, 79.2	

Rank from 1 Oct. 1942:

E. R. West, 130.5	A. R. Kier, 141.8
L. H. Meyer, 137.5	T. J. Noon, 141.9
D. W. Torrey, jr., 141.1	W. E. Sweetser, jr., 141.10
B. Reisweber, 141.2	
R. T. Carleson, 141.3	L. H. Delano, jr., 141.11
C. J. Schlapkohl, 141.4	
B. Z. Redfield, 141.5	W. C. Lemly, 141.12
E. E. Bard, 141.6	R. O. Bisson, 141.13
R. R. Porter, 141.7	

TO MAJOR

Rank from 31 Dec. 1941:

With lineal position in the order named next to Maj. William R. Williams whose previous reduction from Lieutenant Colonel left him at top of Majors grade.

Erwin F. Wann, jr.	Robert E. McCook
Otis V. Calhoun, jr.	Homer Sterling
Talbott F. Collins	Joseph N. M. Berger
John H. Partridge	William M. Gilliam
Frederick J. Karch	Kenneth E. Martin
Lawrence F. Fox	John A. White
Horace H. Figuers	Carl V. Larsen
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George W. Herring	Hector R. Migneault
David C. Wolfe	Edward L. Peoples
Edward V. H. Mendenhall, jr.	Darrell L. Cool
	Lloyd G. Coutts
Louis G. Monville	Eugene N. Thompson
Alfred B. Hebeisen	Arba L. Norton
Wade M. Jackson	Donald R. Nugent
Frank J. Ervin	

"This action is taken to reduce the number in grade and to place officers of the same class or group in the same rank. It is in no way to be regarded as any reflection whatever upon their conduct or performance of duty," the Alnav states.

Effective 1 Feb. the President also appoints the following officers to grade of Major for temporary service.

Rank from 31 Dec. 1941:

Ross S. Mickey	George F. Dooley
Robert G. Owens	David A. Marshall
Thomas J. Ahearn	

"This action taken to change their dates of rank in order to assign new lineal positions to restore them to former relative seniority with ground contemporaries in conformity with President's regulations pursuant Public Law 347 79th Congress. They now take seniority in order above named next after Maj. Alfred B. Hebeisen and above Maj. Wade M. Jackson. Change in lineal position of other officers accordance above regulations to be promulgated at future date."

The foregoing terminations and appointments are pursuant provisions Act of Congress approved 24 July 1941, Public Law 188, 77th Congress, as amended. All appointments subject provisions Letter of Instruction 454 as modified by Alnav 29 of 1946. Terminations and appointments will be acknowledged.

Navy Captain in Congress

The only retired officer of the Regular Navy in Congress, Representative Willis W. Bradley (R.) of Long Beach, Calif., is the author of a bill, HR 1035, to correct present discriminations in retired pay whereby a group of naval officers who served in World War I and were later retired on a 2½ per cent per year basis.

Representative Bradley, a retired Captain in the Navy, told the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL that "As Army officers and Philippine Scout Officers in comparable status now get 75% of active duty pay, it seems only just that Naval Officers should be granted equal treatment." (Reference in last week's issue of the JOURNAL to this bill having been introduced by Representative Fred Bradley, of Mich., was in error.)

Representative Willis W. Bradley is a member of the House Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries, being chairman of the subcommittee on shipbuilding, operation, and maritime labor, and a member of the subcommittee on Coast Guard, Coast & Geodetic Survey, and Public Health Service.

In a statement of his views furnished the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL, Representative Willis W. Bradley said:

Unification

"I am opposed to the proposed unification of the Army and Navy. I believe that unity of command can be achieved by order of the Commander-in-Chief (the President) wherever and whenever desirable. I believe that unification will inevitably result in a lessening of the efficiency of the Navy (including the Marine Corps) to perform the duties for which they exist. I do not put any faith in the so-called 'savings' to be effected through unification. From long observation of governmental procedure, it is my opinion that we should merely be adding another administrative layer on top of what we now have and that the ultimate expense would be increased rather than diminished. To sum up very briefly, my feeling (based upon extensive experience) is that through unification we should pay more to achieve less.

Universal Military Training

"I have opposed conscription, except in time of war or national emergency, very consistently. I favor such type of universal service as will give a maximum of training with a minimum of interruption of education or preparation for a civilian career. The American Legion plan comes very close to what I believe the most desirable.

Maintenance of Strength

"I approve of maintenance of present strength under current conditions. I believe that present strength of personnel is greater than necessary when we again return to a world condition one might call 'normal.' However, I should not want to predict when that normalcy may be expected. I believe the applause which greeted the President's recent statement regarding the desirability of remaining strong for the present is a good indication of the general desire to maintain current strength of the armed forces."

Adm. Hewitt to UN Post

Admiral Henry Kent Hewitt, USN, will relieve Admiral Richmond K. Turner, USN, as a member of the United Nations Military Staff Committee on or about 1 Apr.

Admiral Hewitt at present is attached to the staff of the Naval War College, Newport R. I. He had previously been Commander Naval Forces, Europe.

Admiral Turner was appointed Naval representative on the United Nations Military Staff Committee in Nov. 1945. After being relieved by Admiral Hewitt he will retire from active duty.

Confirmed in Regular Navy

The Senate on 27 Jan. confirmed the nominations of 2,234 commissioned and commissioned warrant officers for appointment in the Regular Navy. The nominations, beginning with the name of Fred C. Fuegel and ending with William D. Wright, were sent to the Senate 17 Jan., but all of them were recess appointments whose selection had been announced last Spring and Summer.

UN Guard Disbanded

The United Nations Guard, composed of 125 dress-uniformed combat Marines, was officially disbanded yesterday, 31 Jan.

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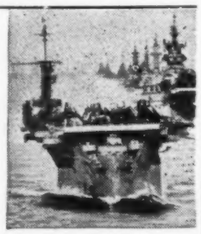

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U. S. COAST GUARD

A SEVEN-MAN subcommittee has been appointed from the full membership of the House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee to hold hearings on legislation of concern to the Coast Guard.

The group is headed by Representative T. Millet Hand (R-NJ), formerly mayor of Cape May, N. J., where the Coast Guard has maintained one of its most active stations. He was first elected to the House in 1944 following a distinguished career in his home district.

In addition to Mr. Hand, the subcommittee consists of Representatives Alvin F. Weichel (R-Ohio), Willis W. Bradley (R-Calif), Horace Seeley-Brown (R-Conn), Herbert C. Bonner (D-NC), Leo F. Rayfiel (D-NY), and Prince H. Preston (D-Ga).

This group will study legislation related to the Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and the U. S. Public Health Service, and report to the chairman of the full House committee, Rep. Fred Bradley (R-Mich), which will in turn make its reports to the House. Representative Bradley last week named seven other subcommittees which will study measures related to other maritime functions.

Several bills of interest to Coast Guardsmen already have been introduced in both Houses of Congress, and others are reported under preparation. The following bills have been introduced:

H. R. 70, "A Bill to amend the Act of April 14, 1930, to provide increased retired pay for certain members of the former Life-Saving Service," increases their compensation, now 75 per cent of pay received at the time of separation, to an amount equal to pay received at time of separation.

H. R. 72, "A Bill to increase the number of authorized aviation stations operated by the Coast Guard, and for other purposes," provides for an increase to 15 in the number of Coast Guard aviation stations and for aeronautical instruction schools at five of these stations.

H. R. 239, "A Bill to further perfect the consolidation of the Lighthouse Service with the Coast Guard," would permit former Lighthouse Service personnel to count for longevity pay in the Coast Guard all service in the former Lighthouse Service.

S. 248, "To amend Section 327 of the Communications Act to permit the use of Coast Guard radio stations for commercial messages."

H. J. Res. 70, introduced by Rep. Bradley, would grant authority for waiving compliance with the navigation and vessel-inspection laws administered by the Coast Guard to the extent and in such manner and upon such terms as may be deemed necessary by the Commandant in the conduct of the war or the orderly reconversion of the merchant marine from wartime to peacetime operations. The authority would remain in force until 1 Jan. 1948.

Two other measures, now under preparation into legislative form, are reported to be of more vital concern to the Coast Guard. They are:

1. A bill "to consolidate and revise the laws relating to the Coast Guard" as now contained in Title 14, U. S. Codes.

This is generally termed the "recodification" bill, as it would re-state at one time all of the laws relating to the peacetime functions of the Coast Guard and its wartime relationship with the Navy.

2. A bill "to integrate certain persons of the former Bureau of Marine Inspection and Navigation and the Bureau of Customs into the regular Coast Guard, to establish the permanent commissioned personnel strength of the Coast Guard, and for other purposes."

This measure is of immediate necessity to the war-to-peace conversion of the Coast Guard, and, for that reason, has not been included in the recodification bill. The bill is now under study by the Budget Bureau and, it is hoped, will be enacted as soon as practicable.

The bill authorizes the commissioning of approximately 500 BMIN inspectors in the Coast Guard, under which this office operated during the war. A recent Executive Order transferred the BMIN permanently to the Coast Guard, and the legislation is required to effect this transfer.

The bill also lifts the statutory limit of 838 commissioned officers, and raises the limit to 3,500. The BMIN alone will transfer 500 officers, and present Coast Guard officer strength is about 2,300.

The President pro tempore of the Senate has appointed Senator Irving M. Ives (R-NY), to the Board of Visitors to the Coast Guard Academy.

Representatives Hand, Willis W. Bradley, Jackson, Seely-Brown, and Aime J. Forand (R-RI) have been named to the Board of Visitors representing the House.

Navy Unit Commendations

Navy Unit Commendations have been awarded for the following Naval units:

Base Hospital Twelve, located at Netley, Hampshire, England, for meritorious services in support of Allied military operations in the European Theater, from 1 March to 30 Sept. 1944.

USS Gwin (DM-33) for outstanding heroism in action as a radar picket ship, anti-aircraft and anti-submarne screen and minesweeping support ship during the Okinawa campaign, 24 March to 24 June 1945.

First Task Fleet

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forced into another world conflict, minimum time for expansion readjustment would be more important than ever before in any previous war.

With such an important task facing our peacetime Navy, constant and extreme energy must be directed by all commanders not only to train the current force into the best fighting team in the shortest time, but the even more important task of keeping that team up to date with the daily changing methods of waging war. Not to be modern in every phase of training would be suicidal.

The Navy and all of its integral parts has a big job ahead!

Commands ATC Base

Fairfield-Suisun, A.A.B. Fairfield, Calif. — Brig. Gen. Archie J. Old jr., Commanding General of the Eastern Pacific Wing, Pacific Division, Air Transport Command, announced recently that Col. Russell Keillor has assumed command of the Fairfield-Suisun Army Air Base, here.

Colonel Keillor replaces Col. Horace D. Aynesworth, who will attend a service school in the near future.

USMC Nominations Confirmed

The Senate on 29 Jan. confirmed Marine Corps nominations listed on pages 501 and 523 of the 25 Jan. issue of the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL; also the following:

To Lt. Gen. (temporary)

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Keller E. Rockey	Dudley S. Brown
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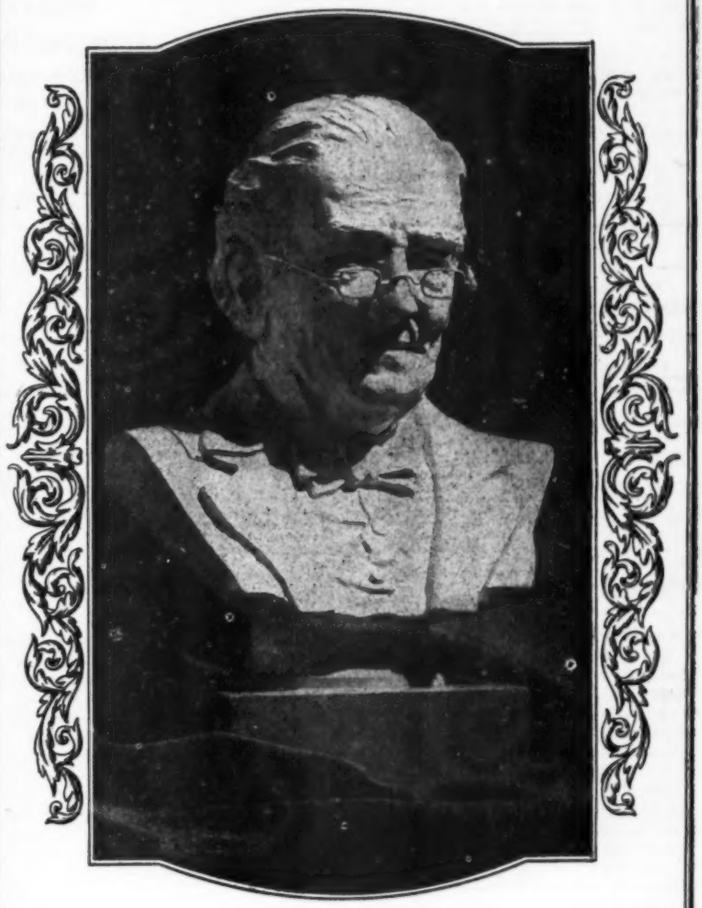

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"The veterans of 1917 and 1918 well knew, and better than anyone else, the tragedy of unpreparedness."—GENERAL JACOB L. DEVERS.

OUR PRIORITY LIST

1. Establishment and protection of peace through maintenance in accordance with our National needs and international commitments, of Regular Establishments organized, equipped and trained to utilize and employ modern materials of war, and coordinated with Industry and Labor kept intimately familiar with the manufacture and supply of such materials.
2. Scientific research to keep our lead in the atom bomb, guided missiles, and biological and radio active agents, and development of methods for their use and for defense against them, plus effective safeguards in secrecy.
3. The building up of the National Guard and Reserve components of the Armed Forces to their Congress and State authorized post-war strengths. Federally equipped, housed, and trained, effectively coordinated with the Regular Services, and with Universal Military Training to maintain their strengths.
4. Protection of active and retired pay to meet risen costs so as to enable maintainance of American standards of living; relief from pay reduction through income taxes; increase in per diem travel allowances; compensation for Service personnel who use privately owned automobiles on government business.
5. Enactment, after ample opportunity for study and comment by Service personnel in the field and with the Fleet, of legislation for orderly promotion systems in the Regular Establishments with recognition of war service and war ranks to prevent stagnation, and to insure the maintenance of high professional standards.
6. Continuance and expansion of Service Schools, including the National War College, Army-Navy Staff College, and the Industrial College.
7. Rank and retirement benefits for former Army enlisted personnel and Warrant Officers who served in war on same basis now accorded those of the other Armed Forces.
8. Upward revision of pension scales to insure Service widows and dependents a living income.

IN criticizing the failure of the Atomic Energy Commission to give first consideration to National Security and insisting that the intent of Congress in this respect be strictly adhered to, the members of the Joint Congressional Committee on Atomic Energy got off to an auspicious start this week and demonstrated the wisdom of Congress in setting up such a Joint committee to supervise the work of the civilian commission. The Joint Committee's first task is consideration of the President's nomination of members of the Commission. At its initial interrogation of David E. Lilienthal, who was nominated to be chairman, a number of Senators expressed the conviction that the new Commission has not been complying with that part of the basic Act which specifies that non-military development and utilization of Atomic energy must be "subject at all times to the paramount objective of assuring the common defense and security." Specifically, it was felt that the members of the Military Liaison Board of the Commission should attend every Commission meeting—a policy which has not been followed thus far. They also were disappointed and dissatisfied that the Commission since the change-over of control, has not seen fit to confer with Maj. Gen. Leslie R. Groves, USA, who as head of the Manhattan Project supervised the entire program of development from the laboratory stage, through the construction of the huge plants to the ultimate fabrication of the bomb itself, its initial try-out in New Mexico and down to the delivery of the finished product at Hiroshima. Mr. Lilienthal's defense that the Commission has been busy with reorganization and discussion of matters in which General Groves's experience would be of little help is hardly a satisfactory reply. Manifestly, too, it is of the utmost importance that the Military Liaison committee attend meetings of the Commission in order that they may be kept fully informed of all developments and activities. The very membership of the Liaison Committee (Lt. Gen. Lewis H. Beereton, Maj. Gen. Lunsford E. Oliver, Col. John H. Hinds, Rear Adm. Thorvold A. Solbert, Rear Adm. Ralph A. Ofstie, and Rear Adm. William S. Parsons) assures their background of knowledge in defense needs and their ability to sift out those matters which are likely to have a bearing on the National Security. The important post of Director of the Division of Military Application has not yet been filled. We urge that General Groves, the nation's outstanding expert on the subject, be appointed. This with the continued insistence of the Congressional Committee, should assure that National Security will be kept uppermost in the minds of the Commissioners.

UPON the newly appointed "Subcommittee No. 1" of the House Committee on Armed Services falls the responsible task of formulating the promotion and retirement policies for the permanent Regular Establishments of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, as well as for the Air Forces whose autonomy is provided for in the new unification plan. Upon the thoroughness with which their job is done will depend the morale and, thus, to a great extent, the efficiency of the personnel of the forces of National Security. Fortunately, of the ten members selected for this key subcommittee all but two have had prior experience on Military or Naval affairs committees. The chairman, Representative Dewey Short (R-Mo) was a member of the personnel subcommittee of the old Military Committee while Representative W. Sterling Cole (R-NY) was on the personnel subcommittee of the old Naval Affairs Committee. Representative George J. Bates (R-Mass), Representative Margaret Chase Smith (R-Me) and Representative Patrick H. Drewry (D-Va) were active members of the old Naval Affairs Committee. Representative Paul J. Kilday (D-Tex) and Representative Robert L. F. Sikes (D-Fla) both had hands in Army personnel legislation in the last Congress, the latter being sponsor of the Army Retirement Bill which passed the House in the 79th Congress, but died in the Senate. There already has been expressed a determination that there should be an equalization or rights, particularly in the matter of retirement benefits where the sea services are now properly privileged to retire personnel with grade and pay based on their highest temporary war rank while Army personnel must abide by their lower permanent grades, unless retirement is due to physical disability. In the matter of promotion we urge that the members of the subcommittee make provision to profit by the reaction and views of the Service officers stationed overseas, by assuring that ample time be given for the latter to learn of the proposals presented to the committee and that they be permitted to express their views freely and independently. Only by such a procedure can the committee avoid trouble and dissatisfaction in the future.

Service Humor

Petitioner

Navy Wife: "Your, honor, he broke every dish in the house over my head. He treated me cruelly and threatened to put in for sea duty."

Judge: "Did he apologize or express regret?"

Navy Wife: "No, your honor, the ambulance took him away before he regained consciousness."—*Our Navy.*

Skeptic

It was a tragic and solemn occasion . . . Carefully, they carried the long wooden box out of the station dispensary and loaded it into the waiting ambulance.

"Poor Jim," said a private standing by.

"Poor Jim, nuts!" said the first sergeant, "I'm still convinced the guy is goofing off!"—*Belvoir Castle.*

Proof

Did you know that running is good for the figure?

I should say I does. Once it kept a charge of buckshot out of mine.

—*Cp Beale Bealiner.*

Good Choice

Patient: "How can I ever repay you for your kindness to me?"

Doctor: "By check, postal order, or cash."

Apprentice

Boot: "When I first came here, I must've acted dumb, but now I'm forging ahead."

Chief: "Good, I hope it fits."

—*USNH Oakland Oak Leaf.*

Fast Learner

Irate Policeman: "Pull over to the curb. Do you know that you were doing seventy-five?"

Fluttery Woman: "Isn't it wonderful? And I just learned to drive yesterday!"

Changeover

Sgt.: "Don't talk like that—there's a lady present."

Pvt.: "Sez you! After they go out with you, they're reclassified."

—*Bolling Field Beam.*

Q & A

Q. Can a mule do more work than a horse?

A. Definitely—if the mule is willing.

Long Distance

Professor: "Why don't you answer me?"

Student: "I did, professor, I shook my head."

Professor: "Well, you didn't expect me to hear it rattle way up here did you?"

—*The Pointer.*

Whoo!

A Signal Corps Colonel and his young enlisted jeep driver in Italy were fleeing down a bumpy road with shells and bullets flying around them. As they desperately tried to reach safety the EM jeep driver hit obstacles and holes. Finally after one particularly bad bump the Colonel remarked. "Take it easy, son, I'm not as young as I used to be."

Turning a scared face to the officer the driver replied, "Yes Sir. And I'm not as old as I'd like to get!"

—*Scott Field Broadcaster.*

Ask The Journal

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C. P. B.—The Navy Department has advised us that five flights are required for the award of the Air Medal to those who served in the Strike-Flight system in the Navy. Twenty flights are necessary for the awards of the Distinguished Flying Cross. These awards are not automatic for any specified number of flights. The man must be recommended by his commanding officer and it must be proved that the flights were accomplished with distinction before he can be awarded either of these decorations.

F. B. B.—WD Circular 289, 1946 refers to the recall of Reserve officers to active duty, and has no bearing on the grade in which an officer might be appointed to the Regular Army. An officer whose "constructive" or actual active service entitles him to an appointment in the Regular Army in the grade of his terminal leave promotion may be appointed in that grade, providing he received the terminal leave promotion prior to 31 Dec. 1946. The War Department states that terminal leave promotions effective after 31 Dec. 1946, may not be considered in determining the grade for which an officer is eligible in an appointment to the Regular Army.

In The Journal

One Year Ago

Lt. Gen. Walter Krueger, USA, commander of the former Sixth Army, was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross and an Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a second Distinguished Service Medal by General of the Army Douglas MacArthur on 26 Jan.

10 Years Ago

Vice Adm. and Mrs. A. C. Kalbfus are being honored 23 Jan. at a cocktail and dancing party given in Pacific Coast Club by the Admiral's staff and officers of the West Virginia, with 250 in attendance. (Long Beach, Calif., news.)

25 Years Ago

Lt. Howard H. Newman, jr., Coast Art., USA, and Mrs. Newman announce the birth of a son, Donald Robinson, on 8 Jan., at Fort Barrancas, Fla.

50 Years Ago

The Lamont Reorganization bill was reported unanimously by the Committee on Military Affairs to the House several days ago. The Naval Reorganization bill was killed on Wednesday. On Thursday the officers of the Navy, on duty at the Navy Department in Washington, looked over the field to see what chance there was for any beneficial legislation during the remainder of the session.

80 Years Ago

A project for issuing to all honorably discharged Volunteer officers of our late war a fitting certificate of their services has, we are happy to see, come up before one of the Military Committees in Congress. It is never too late to make an acknowledgment of gratitude. And, as some of our officers got neither brevets nor thanks from Government, the best for its credit that it could do is to furnish the proposed national certificate to its Volunteer officers.

ARMY ORDERS

Secretary of War—Robert P. Patterson
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Assistant Secretary of War, Air—W. Stuart Symington
Chief of Staff—General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower

GENERAL OFFICERS

Maj. Gen. Norman D. Cota is reld fr WAA, Wash., D. C., w/sta at Philadelphia, is asgd to WAA, Wash., D. C.

Maj. Gen. Sidney P. Spalding, is reld fr asgmt and dy in OUSW, Wash., D. C., is asgd to the Army-Navy Munitions Board, Wash., D. C.

Brig. Gen. Patrick W. Timberlake, is reld fr asgmt and dy in OUSW, Wash., D. C., is asgd to the Army-Navy Munitions Board, Wash., D. C.

Brig. Gen. Francis M. Brady (Lt. Col., AC) retired as Brig. Gen., p.d.

Brig Gen. Jesmond D. Balmer is reld fr asgmt and dy w/Misc WD Gp, Wash., D. C., and fr present TDY in London, Eng. eff 24 Jan. is asgd to US Forces Austria, Vienna, Austria.

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Lt. Col. M. S. Kerr, Cp Beale, Calif., to Brooke AMC, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Maj. B. Sergent, Cp Campbell, Ky., to 2532d ASU, Philadelphia.

Maj. K. A. Noseck, Cp Langdon, N. H., to 1129th ASU, Manchester, N. H.

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Maj. H. E. Miner, Ft. Dix, N. J., to 5254th ASU, Topeka, Kans.

Maj. T. A. Mesereau, Cp Beale, Calif., to USMA, West Point, N. Y.

Maj. L P. Collins, Cp Beale, Calif., to Hq 5th Army, Chicago.

Maj. H. H. Dunwoody, Wash., D. C., to The Armd Sch, Ft. Knox, Ky.

Maj. J F. Smith, Waltham, Mass., to RTC, Ft. Dix, N J.

Maj. F. C. Stewart, Rapid City, S. Dak., to CIC Ctr Holabird Sig Dep, Balto., Md.

Capt. K. E. Adams, Cp Campbell, Ky., to 2555th ASU, Charleston, W. Va.

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Capt. A. G. Honey, Ft. Mason, Calif., to RTC, Ft. Dix, N. J.

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Vice Admirals

William M. Fechteler, ComBatCruLant, to DCNO (Personnel).

Frank J. Fletcher, Chairman, General Board, Navy Dept. to proceed home; relieved active duty.

Rear Admiral

Charles Wellborn, jr., Deputy C of S for Plans, to be Deputy C of S for Plans and Operations, PacFlt.

Commodore

William R. Ryan, (SC) orders detaching from BuSandA revoked.

Captains

Neil K. Dietrich, CO, USS Houston, CL 81 to C of S and Aide, ComBatCruLant.

Homer G. Glunt, (ChC) Dist Chaplain, Com-6, to Camp Lejeune, N. C.

Orville F. Gregor, USNH, Long Beach, to exam by Retiring Bd and orders home.

Herbert L. Hoerner, WesSeaFron, to CO, NAS, Denver.

George C. Miller, (A3D), BuPers, to staff, Cnaat, NAS, Jacksonville.

Commanders

John H. Atkins, (DC) USNH, Seattle, to 1stMarDiv.

James P. Donnelly, (DC), Pearl Harbor Naval Shipyard to Fleet Service Dispensary, McGrew Point, Aiea, Oahu, T.H.

Arthur K. Ehle, Com-5, to RecSta, NavSta, Terminal Island, Calif.

Francis R. Hittinger, (DC), Quantico, to USS Missouri, BB 63.

Laurence H. Marks, XO, USS Auburn, AGC 10, to XO, USS Taconic, AGC 17.

Samuel J. McKee, Little Creek, to XO, USS Auburn, AGC 10.

Robert W. Pond, jr., Boston, to O-in-C, ResTraCen, So. Boston.

Louis P. Wimberley, S(E)-T, BuShips, to RecSta, Wash., D. C., for sep.

Lieutenant Commanders

Charles P. Ames, (CEC), home; resigned from USNR.

Frank E. Brown, (MC), USNH, Aiea Heights, T. H., to NAS, Hilo, Hawaii.

Glenn S. Eckard, (ChC), Com-3, to USS Fargo, CL 106.

Morrison F. Gardner, (SC), San Francisco, to proceed home; relieved active duty.

Wilbur T. Holmes, Com-3, to staff, ComNavForMed.

Horace C. Laird, jr., Terminal Is., Calif., to XO, NOB, Midway.

Byrnes E. Missman, (DC), Boston; resigned from USN.

Marie J. Rotondo, (NC), USS Benevolence, AH 13, to USNH, Newport, R. I.

David A. Sharp, jr., (ChC), NAS, San Diego, to RecSta, NavSta, Terminal Island, Calif.

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Captains

Robert Awtrey, (Ret.), BuShips, to proceed home; relieved active duty.

Greydon G. Boyd, (MC), USNH, Philadelphia, resigned from USN.

Thomas S. Cameron, Comdr., Portland Sub-Grp, PacResFlt, to Comdr., Sub-Div-2; O-in-C, USS APL-26; and present duty.

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Colonels

George W. McHenry, FMFPac, to 1stMarDiv.

Earl H. Phillips, Quantico, detailed as AQD effective 18 Dec.

Louis C. Plain, FMFPac, to 1stMarDiv.

Arthur T. Mason, HQMC, to duty under instruction at Armed Forces Staff College, Norfolk.

Lieutenant Colonels

Donald N. Otis, 18thServBn, to Maui, T. H., GdDet, ServCom, FMFPac.

Marvin C. Stewart, 7thServRegt, SC, FMFPac, to MB, Quantico.

Richard B. Church, Camp Lejeune, detailed as AQD effective 26 Dec.

Frederick L. Wieseman, 1stMarDiv, to 7thServRegt, SC, FMFPac.

Charles M. Nees to active duty at MB, NB, Philadelphia.

Edward H. Hurst, HQMC, to Div. of Plans & Policies, HQMC.

Henry Aplington, II, 7th Marines, to HqBn 1stMarDiv.

John A. Burns, FMFPac, to 1stBn 1st Marines.

LeRoy Hauser, HQMC, detailed as AQD effective 17 Jan.

Charles M. Nees, Philadelphia, to FMFPac.

Henry J. Revane, Norfolk, to FMFLant.

Lloyd G. Coutts, 1stMarDiv, to 7thMarines.

John A. Anderson, 5thMarines, to 7thMarines.

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Eugene A. Coffin, jr., CG Dist-8, to CO, USCGC Tamaroa.

Harry E. Davis, Hq, to XO, USCGC Spencer.

Robert S. Lecky, Woods Hole Depot, to CO, USCGC Mohawk.

Lieutenant Commanders

Felix S. De Soboll, MIO Long Beach, to MIO San Francisco.

Arthur B. Engel, USCGC Pontchartrain, to Naval Engineering Div., Hq.

John N. Buckley, USCGC Spencer, to Control Center, CG Dist-12.

Chester L. Jordan, Repair Base, Boston, to CO, Woods Hole Depot.

Clarence H. Waring, jr.; orders of 3 Jan. to USCGC McCullough cancelled.

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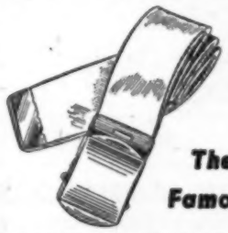

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National Security Week

President Truman this week urged all citizens to join in observing "National Security Week" 12 to 22 Feb. It is fitting, he said, to emphasize the problem of national security in nationwide citizen discussions.

The Reserve Officers Association is sponsoring the observance. Brig. Gen. E. A. Evans, Executive Secretary of the Association, has received the following letter praising the wartime services of Reserve officers:

"Long before this country was plunged into World War II, reserve officers were working quietly, unselfishly, and often at their own expense to train themselves as the Nation's modern Minute Men. When called, they came prepared, forming the nucleus about which was built our greatest armed force, and in war furnishing the leadership for the great citizen Army and Navy, and their various components, which gave this Nation victory, preserving our freedoms. The Nation will never forget the patriotic service and the valor of her citizen leaders of the armed forces.

"While the great majority of the hundreds of thousands of reserve officers have returned to their civilian pursuits, their earnest patriotism has not been dimmed. Again, without fanfare and with little recognition, they are working on their own time to keep their ranks filled, to maintain readiness for service, whatever their duties may be.

"As an organized group, the reserve officers of this Nation believe in a nation that is vigilant, strong, and democratic, with a national policy based upon our traditions of freedom and favoring justice and fairness toward all peoples. It is fitting that emphasis is to be placed upon that theme in plans for observance of National Security Week from February twelfth to twenty-second.

"Not only out of respect for their service, but because the questions to be discussed are fateful for all of us, every citizen is urged to join our reserve officers in their observance. The entire Nation will do well to give thoughtful and prayerful consideration to our people's security, not only from wars, but from pestilences and other enemies which would undermine national strength, health, character, and happiness."

Secretary of War Patterson and General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower joined in praise of National Security Week.

Secretary Patterson said:

"I am happy to learn that the Reserve Officers Association of the United States is again sponsoring a National Security Week during the period 12-22 February.

"This resumption of the annual observance of National Security Week is another strong indication of this Nation's determination to achieve the peace for which the men and women of our armed forces strove so valiantly. The Reserve Officers Association renders a valuable and patriotic service in sponsoring this occasion wherein the American public is apprised of our plans and efforts for national security."

General Eisenhower wrote:

"I salute the alert and unflagging interest of the Reserve Officers Association in resuming sponsorship of National Security Week. Your efforts to bring the accomplishments and aims of our security program into the spotlight of public attention will stimulate continuing support for the strength and dignity so necessary in our quest for an enduring peace."

AAF Personnel Strength

Current total strength of the Army Air Forces is approximately 332,135, of which 49,000 are officers and 283,135 enlisted men, Maj. Gen. Fred L. Anderson, Assistant Chief of Air Staff for Personnel, said this week. In addition the AAF has a total of 260,989 civilian personnel.

At its peak strength, reached prior to V-J Day, the AAF numbered 2,314,000 officer and enlisted personnel and 422,157 civilians. Its authorized strength at present is 60,000 officers and 340,000 enlisted personnel.

On 1 July 1946 the officer and enlisted strength figure was greater than at present and is now on the upswing again. The end of the current fiscal year should find it at authorized level.

To combat the disintegration of highly trained technicians within its organization, the AAF has established an intensive training and career monitoring program. Technical and basic AAF schools as of January 1947 had a total enrollment of 41,260 officers and enlisted men.

Nagoya Army Air Base

Hq., Fifth Air Force, Nagoya—Activation of Nagoya Army Air Base, with Lt. Col. R. D. Hale as commanding officer, has been announced by Fifth Air Force headquarters in Nagoya.

The new base, which includes all units assigned or attached to Air Force installations in Nagoya, will perform all duties formerly carried out by Special Troops (provisional) and Headquarters Commandant. Komaki airdrome, Fifth Air Force headquarters' airstrip, is also part of the new base.

Other staff officers for the new base include Maj. H. J. Caquelin, executive officer; Capt. Cecil F. Leis, adjutant; Capt. William A. Adams, S-1; Lt. Roy Hall, S-3, and Capt. Charles Lounsbury, S-4.

Test New Transport Plane

Testing of the Army's new Type C-74 transport plane, a military adaption of the four-engined Douglas "Globemaster," is being conducted jointly by the Army Air Forces, the Airborne Test Section of the Army Ground Forces' Board No. 1, and the 82d Airborne Division at Fort Bragg and nearby Pope Field, N. C.

5000-Mile Hop in P-82

The Army Air Forces will attempt to establish a dual record for speed and endurance for fighter-type aircraft soon when a North American P-82 takes off on a 5000-mile flight from Honolulu to New York.

Leaving Hickam Field, Hawaii, the "Twin Mustang," named "Betty Jo" in honor of the pilot's wife, will cross 2600 miles of water, reaching the California coast at a point 17 miles south of Point Arena, Calif. Following a great circle route across the United States, the "Betty Jo" will fly over Reno, Nev.; Rock Springs, Wyo.; Detroit, Mich. and Erie, Pa., before landing at LaGuardia Field in New York. The plane will fly at an altitude of better than 20,000 feet and at an air speed of approximately 300 miles per hour. The flight will be the longest ever attempted by a fighter-type aircraft, and will take about 15 hours.

Pilot of the P-82 on its record flight will be Lt. Col. Robert E. Thacker of Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio. Co-pilot will be 1st Lt. John M. Ard, also of Wright Field.

Medical Atomic Study

A five-man Atomic Bomb Casualty Commission, representing the National Research Council, Office of the Surgeon General U. S. Army, Atomic Energy Commission, Bureau of Research and Development of the U. S. Navy, American Cancer Society, and the U. S. Public Health Service has been making follow-up studies on persons injured during the atomic bomb attacks on Hiroshima and Nagasaki.

Members of the commission included Dr. Paul S. Henshaw, consultant to the Secretary of War and Pacific radiobiologist at the Clinton Engineering Works, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; Dr. Austin W. Brues, consultant to the Secretary of War and director of biology at the Argonne National Laboratory, Chicago, Ill., and Associate Professor of Medicine, University of Chicago; 1st Lt. James V. Neel, MC, medical geneticist on leave from the University of Michigan and presently assigned to Manhattan Engineering District; 1st Lt. Melvin A. Block, MC, assigned to Manhattan Engineering District and collaborator at Operations Crossroads, and Lt. (jg) Frederick W. Ullrich, MC, assigned to the Naval medical Research Institute.

In addition to obtaining technical information, the Atomic Bomb Casualty Commission made detailed plans for a long-term program of study concerning the late effects of atomic bomb damage. These recommendations are being submitted in Washington by Doctors Brues and Henshaw and Lt. Ullrich. Lt. Neel and Lt. Block are remaining in Japan to carry on an interim program of collaboration with Japanese physicians in continued study of atomic bomb casualties and of establishing relationships with the medical faculties of appropriate Japanese universities and with appropriate Japanese scientific institutions.

Members of the commission have noted that Japanese professional men are eager to work on atomic energy problems and scores of their manuscripts and reports with English translations have been submitted for examination and found to contain excellent material heretofore not known by American authorities.

Col. Crawford F. Sams, Chief, Public Health and Welfare Section, SCAP, announced in Tokyo that during inspection trips to Hiroshima and Nagasaki, the members of the commission visited many medical colleges and hospitals where they examined injured persons and talked with Japanese medical men about their observations and treatments of atom bomb casualties.

Members of the commission are particularly interested in a follow-up program concerned with atomic bomb damage in people. Now that the acute damage, such as loss of hair and injury to the blood-forming organs, appears to have passed, a study of the more subtle effects of the atomic bomb, including its effects on life span, fertility, and the pattern of disease in the population, will require a long-term study of large numbers of people.

In examining Hiroshima and Nagasaki victims, the commission was especially interested in persons bearing scars of burns suffered at the time of the atomic bomb explosion. Many of these scars are unusually large and disfiguring, of a type known as keloids, and it has not yet been determined whether they are the result of burns caused from the intense heat, from the radioactivity of the bomb, or other conditions. The commission, together with the Japanese, has under consideration establishing special clinics in the bombed areas where small numbers of patients can be watched carefully and results of different forms of treatment studied.

Commands Floyd Bennett Field

Capt. Frederick N. Kivette, USN, has relieved Capt. Carlos W. Wieber as Commanding Officer, Naval Air Station, Floyd Bennett Fld., Brooklyn, N. Y., and as Commander, Naval Air Bases, Third Naval District. Formal ceremonies were held 24 Jan., when Captain Kivette read his orders and assumed command of the station.

Before commencing his new duties, Captain Kivette was Chief of Staff to the Commander, Carrier Division Three, based at San Francisco. He also supervised the operation of drones (pilotless aircraft) in the Bikini atomic bomb test.

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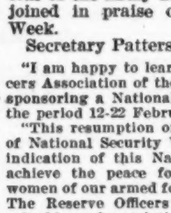

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Harold V. A. Packard, (MC), USNH, Houston, to USNH, NNMC, Bethesda, Md.

Lynn C. Petross, Portland Sub-Grp, PacResFlt, to Comdr., SubDiv-1; O-in-C, USS APL-49.

James A. Prichard, CO, USS Guadulupe, AO 32, to XO, NOTS, Inyokern, Calif.

Carl W. Seitz, (SC), OS, NAS, Patuxent River, Md., to Sup. & Fiscal officer.

Henry P. Wright, jr., CO, USS Kankakee, AO 39, to Navop.

Commanders

Fred E. Bakutis, (AVH), Navop, to Comdr., Attack Carrier Group-1.

Victor E. Creighton, S(1), Navop. to RecSta, Wash., D. C., for sep.

Charles E. Gibson, (AVH), BuAer, to Comdr., Light Carrier Air Group-1.

William R. Harlow, Naval Photographic Service, to BuAer.

Samstone Holmes, (DC), NOB, Guam, to Dispensary, Navy Dept.

George M. Hutto, (MC), BuMed, to USNH, NNMC, Bethesda, Md.

Albert F. Ryan, jr., (SC), Asst. to be SO, Terminal Island, Naval Shipyard.

Lloyd R. Sauer, (S), Com-11, to Dist. Complements and Classification Control Officer.

Resignations of the following Commanders, on duty at stations listed, have been accepted:

Vayle Spencer Briden (MC), Terminal Is., Calif.

Edmund Bradley Carleton (MC), Portsmouth, N. H.

John R. Denny (CEC), USNH, Long Beach.

Lieutenant Commanders

Robert H. Coombs (SC), NSCS, to NSD, Bayonne Annex, NB, New York.

Edward S. Pelling, Com-5, to Engineer Officer, USS Palau, CVE 122.

Harold A. Schmidt, (SCR), Columbus, Ohio, to Asst. to SO, NAS, Norfolk.

Arthur J. Vhay, (AD), Sampson, N. Y., to proceed home; relieved active duty.

Resignations of the following Lieutenant Commanders, on duty at stations listed, have been accepted:

William B. Harkins (MC), USNH, Alea Hghts T. H.

R. J. Hoogs (S), home.

W. L. Jaquith (MC), USS General J. C. Breckenridge, AP 176.

David C. Kline, USS General George M. Randall, AP 115.

Dominl J. Pontarelli (MC), USNH, Norfolk.

William C. Shreve, USS Robert E. Peary, DE 132.

John C. Stanley, NATS-Pac.

27 Jan. 1947

Admirals

Richard S. Edwards, ComWestSeaFron, to proceed home; relieved active duty.

Louis E. Denfeld, Chief of NavPers and DCNO (Personnel), to CincPac and CincPacFlt.

John H. Towers, CincPac and CincPacFlt, to Chairman, General Board, Navy Dept.

Vice Admirals

Jesse B. Oldendorf, Comdt., Com-11, to ComWesSeaFron; add. duty as Comdr. PacResFlt.

Ross T. McIntire, (MC), Office of SecNav, to proceed home; relieved active duty.

Rear Admiral

William K. Phillips, ComCruDiv-15, to ComDesLant.

Commanders

Allyn Cole, jr., USS Wisconsin, BB 64, to Navop.

Casco C. Houghton, (S), BuDocks, to RecSta, Wash., D. C., for sep.

Gerald P. Joyce, CIC Group Tra Cen, Boston, to be XO.

Joseph G. Poliak, S(O), BuOrd, to RecSta, Wash., D. C., for sep.

Lieutenant Commanders

Clavis W. Durham, Philadelphia, to proceed home; relieved active duty.

Alexander Nester, USS Dionysus, AR 21, to proceed home; relieved active duty.

Resignations of the following Lieutenant Commanders, on duty at stations listed, have been accepted:

Charles M. Grace (MC), USNH, Long Beach.

John H. Millington, NavForPhil.

Paul L. Stuck (MC), Camp Lejeune, N. C.

28 January 1947

Captains

Charles O. Comp, Asst. C of S for Oper.& Serv., to be planning officer, Com-9.

John R. Diffley, (AVH), C of S, Boston Grp, LantResFlt, to Comdr., Sub-Div-1; O-in-C, USS APB-36.

Allan G. Gaden, CO, USS Mathews, AKA 96, to CO, USS Kennebec, AO 36.

Frederick C. Greaves, (MC), XO, USNH, Corona, Calif., to staff, CincPacFlt.

William B. Holden, Terminal Island Naval Shipyard, to proceed home; relieved active duty.

Lester J. Hudson, WesSeaFron, to Asst. C of S for Logistics, Com-13.

John H. Keatley, Staff, ComNavForPhil, to BuShips.

Commanders

Ralph W. Cousins, (AVH), Comdr., Attack Carrier Group 11, to Navop; add. duty at BuAer.

Theodore W. Dasler, (MC), USS Huntington, CL 107; resigned from USN.

Walter F. Fitzpatrick, (MC), Com-12, to USNH, Newport, R. I.

Richard L. Fowler, Fleet Air, West Coast, to Comdr., Attack Carrier Group 11.

Donald W. Gressly, (MC), NAMC, Philadelphia; resigned from USN.

George M. Rouzee, Com-8; resigned from USN.

Alan B. Sutherland, jr., NOB, Guam, to BuShips.

Lieutenant Commanders

Edward R. Eberle, General Line Sch, Newport, R. I., to exam by Retiring Bd. and orders home.

Bernadette Belanger, (NC), USNH, Brooklyn, to USNH, Camp Lejeune, N. C.

James C. Haynes, jr., (S), Coal Mines Admin, Interior, to RecSta, Wash., D. C., for sep.

Xavier S. Hutchins, (CEC), BuDocks, to Public Works Div., Naval Gun Factory, Wash., D. C.

Dorothy P. Monahan, (NC), Guam, to USNH, Bremerton.

John C. Parry, (C)L, temp. duty, to duty, Navy Dept. PubInfo.

Harley E. Talkington, (AVH), NAS, San Diego, to NAB, Com-17.

James F. Wilbur, (AVH), NAS, San Diego, to NAB, Com-17.

Resignations of the following Lieutenant Commanders, on duty at stations listed, have been accepted:

William R. Ford, Com-8.

Solomon B. Goldman (MC), USNH, Dublin, Ga.

Burton L. Hoffman (MC), USNH, Philadelphia.

Edward W. Kloth (MC), MCAS, Cherry Pt., N. C.

Byrne W. Mayer (MC), RecSta, Brooklyn.

Ausey H. Robnett (MC), USNH, Pensacola.

29 Jan. 1947

Admirals

Richmond K. Turner, Military Staff Committee, Security Council, United Nations, to proceed home; relieved active duty.

Rear Admirals

William V. Fox (SC), Dist. SO, Com-11, to be SO-in-C, SupCen, Pearl Harbor; add. duty as Dist. SO, Com-14; and SO on staff, Comdt., NavBase, Pearl Harbor.

Dixwell Ketcham (AVH), ComCarDiv-17, to Comdr., Fleet Air, Alameda.

Charles B. Momsen, Comdt., NOB, Guam, to C of S and Aide, Comdr., Marianas.

Commodore

John D. Small (A), Office of AsstSecNav, to proceed home; relieved active duty.

Captains

Henry O. Alexander (MC), XO, to be MO-in-C, USNNH, Astoria, Ore.

Cecil L. Andrews (MC), USNH, Bethesda, Md., to USNH, Long Beach.

Ernest C. Aulis (MC), USNH, Bethesda, Md., to USNH, Jacksonville.

Harry P. Badger, NPS, Wash., D. C., to be CO, PhotoCen, NAS, Anacostia, D. C.

Samuel M. Bailey, Com-12, to Navop.

Robert E. Cofer, jr., Asst. C of S for Material, to be Asst. C of S. for Logistics, staff, Com-9.

Liles W. Creighton, Portland, Me., to Chief Staff Officer, Fl Trg Gr and Underway Trg Unit, Guantanamo Bay.

Lawrence C. Grannis, C of S, to be Comdt, NOB, Guam.

Frederick F. Hewes (CEC), Com-1, to proceed home; relieved active duty.

Walter T. Jenkins, Navop, to C of S and Aide to ComCruDiv-1.

Commanders

Ferdinand V. Berley (MC), Northwestern Univ Med Sch, to USNH, Pensacola.

Edward T. Byrne (MC), USNH, Seattle, to USNH, Alea Heights, T. H.

Herbert J. Clayton (SC), Dist. Ship'sServ. officer, Com-9, to be O-in-C, Ship'sService, NTC, Great Lakes.

Philip H. Craig (AVH), BuAer, to XO, NAAS, Charlestown, R. I.

William A. Ellis, CO, USS Roiman, ISM 21, to CO, USS Massey, DD 778.

Leo K. Fox, S(E), State Dept., to RecSta, Wash., D. C., for sep.

Harry R. Godhey (SC), Com-12, to proceed home; relieved active duty.

Parkman B. Moore, Mare Island Naval Shipyard, to Industrial Dept., NavSta, San Diego.

William F. Petrovic, ServDiv-32, to BuShips.

William E. Sweeney (AVH), Industrial College of the Armed Forces, to Office of AsstSecNavAir.

Edward R. Tilburne, Carderock, Md., to staff, ComNavForPhil.

Lieutenant Commanders

Edward S. Amazeen, (SC), Navy Dept. to RecSta, Wash., D. C., for sep.

Robert L. Barry, CO, USS Ard 25, to O-in-C, Inactive Floating Drydock Group, Pearl Harbor.

Miriam Gleason Burns, (NC), USNH, Norfolk, to sepcen, for sep.

Grover C. Heffner, (SC), NSCS, Bayonne, to Asst. Dist SO and Ship'sServ officer, Com-12.

Rosalia Jorgenson, (NC), New London, to USNH, Chelsea.

Herbert P. Kirk, (DL), NavForGermany, to Com-3.

Wallace Mayo, Naval Research Lab, to O-in-C, W.O. Electronics Engineering Sch, Anacostia, D. C.

Donald R. Rooke, (CEC), Naval Gun Factory, to Public Works Dept, Com-12

Louis N. Saunders, jr. (CEC), Com-11, to Public Works Div, Mare Island Naval Shipyard.

Elmer E. Scull, S(C), Asst. PD, to be PD and CO of PD ofc, Philadelphia.

Resignations of the following, on duty at stations listed, have been accepted:

Paul V. Breitenberger (MC), BuMed.

George J. Jacobson (MC), Sampson, N. Y.

Norval F. Hemp (MC), Parris Island.

Frederick W. Kraft (MC), VR-5.

Jerome Noble (MC), USNH, Annapolis.

John T. Pitkin (MC), Sampson, N. Y.

John L. Reynolds (MC), Yokosuka.

Albin W. Swenson (MC), USNH, St. Albans.

Cruiser Division One Flagship

Tokyo—Rear Adm. A. M. Bledsoe has shifted the flag of Commander, Cruiser Division One, from the heavy cruiser Chicago to the heavy cruiser Fall River.

The Chicago, which entered Tokyo Bay with units of the Third Fleet at the conclusion of the war, and which was anchored in Sugami-wan when the surrender was signed, has left for navy yard availability in Bremerton, Washington.

Admiral Robinson to Tokyo

Rear Adm. Arthur G. Robinson, USN, president of the Combined Army-Navy Military Commission at Guam for trying alleged Japanese war criminals, has arrived in Tokyo to observe Eighth Army military commission trying war crime cases at Yokohama in addition to the International Military Tribunal for the Far East.

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Wilbur F. Meyerhoff, 1stMarines, to 7th-Marines.

Herman Nickerson, jr., 1stMarDiv, to 7th-Marines.

Charles A. Rigaud, 1stMarDiv, to 7thMarines.

From HQMC, to duty under instruction at Armed Forces Staff College, Norfolk:

Orin C. Bjornsrud	Wallace M. Nelson
Paul R. Byrum, jr.	William F. Lantz
Howard G. Kirgis	Ralph K. Rottet
Harold J. Mitchener	John A. Saxten

Thomas W. Brundage, jr., HQMC, to 2dMarDiv.

Noah J. Rodeheffer, FMFPac, to Hqs FMFPac.

Majors

Howard L. Davis, on discharge from USNH, Bethesda, ordered home for retirement

Guy Richards, to active duty with Div of Reserve HQMC.

George F. Haubensak, NOB Okinawa, to D of P.

Maxie R. Williams, MT&RC SDA, to 1stMarDiv.

Walter Holomon, Navy Dept, to Div of Plans and Policies, HQMC.

Armon Christopherson; assignment to active duty and orders to MarAirWest revoked.

Norman P. Hyldahl, NAD, Hastings, Neb., resigned 15 Jan. '47.

Ernest G Atkin, jr., NAS Jacksonville, to MB, Wash., D. C.

Hugh J. Chapman, AWS, Quantico, to FMFLant.

Edwin B. Glass, AWS, Quantico, to MB NAS, Jacksonville.

Jack R. Rhoads, AWS, Quantico, to Stf, MCS Quantico.

Tom Woody, 5thMarines, to HqBn 1stMarDiv.

Kenneth C. Houston, MT&RC SDA, to H&SBtry 11th Marines.

Wallace G. Fleissner, 5thMarines, to 7th-Marines.

Edwin G. Winstead, FMFPac, to 1stMarDiv.

George R. Frank, 11thMarines, to 7thMarines.

Louis C. Griffin, 1stMarDiv, to 7thMarines.

Stanley J. Nelson, 1stMarDiv, to 7thMarines.

From station indicated, to AmphWarfare Sch, JrCrs, MCS, MB, Quantico:

Robert E. Daigh, AirFMFPac.
Gelon H. Doswell, VMR-953.
Kenneth D. Frazier, AirFMFPac.
Warren H. McPherson, AirFMFPac.
Walter E. Lischeid, VMF-322.
Grant W. McCombs, VMR-352.
Billie K. Shaw, VMF-211.
Carl A. Sachs, AWS JrCrs MCS Quantico, to MCEB MB Quantico.
Walter D. Persons, MCAS El Toro, Calif., to USS Bairoko (CVE-115).
John W. Graves, MarGarrisonForcesPac, to 1stHeavyAAGrp 1stAAABn FMFPac.

Captains

Emma R. Beck, HQMC, to 9th ResDist.

Wiley W. Loughmiller, admitted to USNH, San Diego.

Robert H. Mitchell, VMR-352, to SMS MAG-15.

Emil D. Pittner, NAS Patuxent, Md., to VMR-952.

Kenneth B. Boyd, FMFPac, to Force H&S Bn, FMFPac.

Ralph E. Britt, MB, Camp Lejeune, to Hqs Montford Pt. Camp.

Jasper J. Gillette, 110th ReplDraft, to 1stEngrBn 1stMarDiv.

Robert G. McMaster, Camp Lejeune, to MD, MB, NS, H&SBn, Roosevelt Rds., P. R.

David A. Brewster, sr., FMFPac, to 1stMarDiv.

Beldon Lidyard, FMFPac, to 7th ServRegt SC FMFPac.

George J. DeBell, 1stMarDiv, to 7th ServRegt, SC FMFPac.

George J. Brookes, jr ; admitted to USNH Philadelphia.

Alfred V. Villatico; admitted to USNH Philadelphia.

Robert J. Bolish, 7thMarines, to H&SBtry, 11thMarines.

Claude N. Harris, FMFPac, to 2dBn 1stMarines.

Howard D. Hudson, FMFPac, to 1stMarDiv.

Samuel A. Johnstone, jr , FMFPac, to MarGarForPac.

Nathan Segal, FMFPac, to H&SCo 1stMarines.

James H. Lawrence, on discharge from USNH, Corona, home to await retirement.

Warren Morris, AWS JrCr MCS, Quantico, to SeaSchDet MCB, San Diego.

James P. Treadwell, AWS JrCr, Quantico, to SeaSchDet MCB, San Diego.

Howard T. Pittman, NYNSYd, Brooklyn, to SeaSchDet MCB, San Diego.

Warren E. Whipple, MD USS Antietam, to 3dMarBrig.

Robert P. Smith, D of P, resigned effective 10 Jan. '47.

Douglas K. Morton, MT&RC SDA, to HqBn 1stMarDiv.

Kenneth C. Greenough, 1stMarDiv, to 2dBn 1stMarines.

Robert M. Krippner, 1stMarDiv, to 1stTankBn 1stMarDiv.

Harold G. Todd, 1stMarDiv, to 1stBn 1st-Marines.

Maurice F. Ahearn, jr., on discharge from USNH, ordered home to await retirement.

James E. Buckle, Barstow, to MCSupDep Oahu, T. H.

Sandy J. DeJohn, Parris Is., to SupDep, HQMC.

John J. Jarvis, Capetown, Union of S Africa, to Asst. for Air Capetown, S Africa.

Charles J. Keen, HQMC, to S&A Crs, Avn Sch MCAS Quantico.

Thomas H. Miller, jr., Quantico, to AirFMFPac.

Nathan R. Smith, MD NOP Macon, Ga., to 2dMarDiv.

William J. Zaro, AWS JrCr MCS Quantico, to 2d AAABn.

James T Cotton, MCATS MCAS Quantico, to MCAB Cherry Pt.

Charles E. Dole, MCATS MCAS Quantico, to MCAB Cherry Pt.

Harold A. Langstaff, MCATS MCAS Quantico, to MCAB Cherry Pt.

Thomas R. Merritt, MCATS MCAS Quantico, to MCAB Cherry Pt.

Thomas J. Bardon, MCATS MCAS Quantico, to MarAirWest.

James O. Huston, MCATS MCAS Quantico, to MarAirWest.

Walter L. Redmond, MCATS MCAS Quantico, to MarAirWest.

Galle F. Wallis, jr., VMF-461, to VMF-114.

Thomas A. Heaton, 1stMarines, to 7thMarines.

George S. Walz, 1stMarines, to 7thMarines.

Serge S. Gorny, 1stMarDiv, to 7thMarines.

Henry V. Joslin, 7thMarines, to 1stPioneerBn 1stMarDiv.

Reuben C. Collins, 1stMarines, to 7thMarines.

From station listed, to AmphWarfareSch, JrCrs, MCS, MB, Quantico:

David E. Wiley, VMF-211.
Stanislaus A. Antos, VMO-3.
Grover R. Betzer, VMR-153.
Robert E. Johnson, VMR-153.
William G. Johnson, VMR-153.
Curtis A. Chartz, HqSq-24.
Albert E. James, HqSq-24.
Edwin A. Harper, VMF-218.
Charles W. Korf, HqSq-15.
Eugene J. Pope, MCAS Ewa, T. H.
John S. Parrott, jr., AirFMFPac.
Francis B. Kelly, VMR-953.
Robert H. Nuess, VMR-953.
Paul J. Flynn, AirFMFPac.
Donald S. Hopkins, VMF-322.
Robert T. Bell, VMR-352.
Wiley E. Haverty, VMR-352.
Roy M. DuCharm, 7th Marines, to MB, NTC, Great Lakes, for sep.
Vearle McKean, Portsmouth, Va., to Off. of DO, FMFPac.
Orlando S. Tosdal, AWS, to MCAS, Quantico.
Henry Brzezinski, FMFPac, to MCSupply Depot, Oahu, T. H.
Henry V. Joslin, 1stMarDiv, to 5th Marines.
Emmett R. Miller, 1stMarDiv, to 7th Marines (reinf).
James F. Mitchell, jr., 1st Marines, to 7th ServRegt, SC, FMFPac.
Mackubin T. Owens, 5th Marines, to 11th Marines.
Ralph K. Patterson, MT&RC SDA, to MB, NOB, Okinawa.
Porter W. Stark, MarGarForPac, to MB, Kwajalein.
Albert J. Rach, Bremerton, to MB, NS, Seattle.

First Lieutenants

John C. Hudock, Great Lakes, to QMSch QMBn MB Camp Lejeune.

John F. Lynch, 7th ServRegt, to D of P.

George I. McGinnis, Quonset Pt., R. I., to MB Camp Lejeune, for sep.

Merle G. Richard, El Toro, to QMSch QMBn Camp Lejeune.

Cleveland G. Barry, Dallas, to AvnDet, MB, NATB, Corpus Christi.

William R. Quinn, VMF-114, to VMF-225.

Leo R. Ryan, USEmbassy London, to MD, American Embassy, Rome.

John M. Welch, FMFPac, to 1stMarDiv.

John E. Forde, jr., 110th ReplDraft, to 2dBn 1stMarines.

James F. Hayes, 4thMarines, to HqBn 1st MarDiv.

Leonard C. Wentherwax, MAG-14, to SMS MAG-14.

Drury W. Wood, jr., NFG-53, to VMF-225.

Neil F. Defenbaugh, VMF-211, to MarAirWest.

Irving Fine, MT&RC SDA, to FMF Lant.

Frank K. Reilly, jr., MB NB Charleston, S. C., to AWS JrCrs MCS Quantico.

William J. Schoonmaker, jr., CasCo, to AWSch JrCrs MCS, Quantico.

Thomas E. Berry, MD, USS Houston, to AWS, JrCrs MCS Quantico.

Robert J. Church, previous orders revoked; on duty with MACSq-1.

Thomas J. Johnston, jr., assigned to active duty, FAS, MCS, Quantico.

Casimir C. Ksycewski, Dover, N. J., to FMFPac.

Joseph W. Malcolm, jr., AWS JrCrs MCS, Quantico, to MB, NAD, Dover, N. J.

Ewell B. Pinkston, orders to MAD NAS Atlanta revoked; on duty at HqSq MarAirWest.

Leland G. Alexander, MT&RC SDA, to HqBn 1stMarines.

Roscoe F. Good, jr., MT&RC SDA, resigned effective 21 Jan. '47.

Alan B. Lemlein, MB Guam, to Hqs MarGarForPac.

Carlton L. Post, jr., FMFPac, to HqBn 1stMarDiv.

From MCATS, MCAS, Quantico, to NAMTD, NATTC, Memphis:

Eugene T. Card	William D. Watson
Paul M. Ruffner	Paul Adams
Roscoe R. St. John	

From MCATS, MCAS, Quantico, to MCAB, Cherry Point:

Wm. N. Gustafson	G. W. Piland, jr.

Edward S. Carrigan, MarGarForPac, to Parris Is., for sep.

Marion "J" Crawford, VMF-312, home to be relieved from active duty.

George LeG. Haggerty, AWS, Quantico, to MD, NOP, So. Charleston, W. Va.

Connor W. Hollingsworth, 6th MCRDist, to FMFPac.

Eugene F. Langan, Ft. Riley, Kans., to 2dMarDiv.

Leonard A. Lembeck, Hq MC, to FMFLant.

William C. Rhodes, AWS, to MB, NB, Charleston, S. C.

William H. Schomers, Pensacola, home to be relieved from active duty.

Otis R. Waldrop, AWS, Quantico, to MD, NOP, Macon.

Charles S. Wilder, Corpus Christi, to AWS JrCrs, MCS, MB, Quantico.

From station indicated, to 7th Marines:

Robert B. Allen, 5th Marines.
Robert E. Munkirs, 5th Marines.
Peter Mangogna, 1st Marines.
Patrick D. Boyle, 1stMarDiv.
Joseph T. Odenthal, 1stMarDiv.
Earl W. Thompson, 1stMarDiv.
Robert J. Craig, 6th Marines, to TQM, USS Pickaway (APA-222).
Presley K. Saine, San Diego, to 2dMarDiv.
Daniel McG. Thornton, jr., MT&RC SDA, to MB, NS, Norfolk, for sep.
Stewart C. Barber, FMFPac, to MCSupDep, Oahu, T. H.
Thomas R. Braun, Okinawa, to MarineShore BombardmentTngDet, MB, Guam.
James O. Clouser, Philadelphia, resigned effective 31 Jan.
William A. Davis, 1stMarDiv, to SD&RC, SDA.
James F. Roberts, RecSta, to MB, PSNSYd, Bremerton.
Theodore A. Stawicki, MB, to InfTngBn, MCS, Quantico.
Jack Kilgore, FMFPac, to NTC, Great Lakes, for sep.

Second Lieutenants

William F. Young, 1stMarDiv, to 2dBn 1st Marines.

Elmer C. Bender, VMF-225, to VMF-114.

Kenneth W. Caughey, on discharge from USNH, Corona, home to await retirement.

Jack C. Smith, assigned to active duty, TQM, USS Noble (APA-218).

Irving A. Wiers, MarAirWest, to MCAB, Cherry Pt.

Richard E. Smith, 1stMarDiv, to 1stBn 1st-Marines.

George G. Blair, II, 1stMarDiv, to 1stServBn, 1stMarDiv.

Delmar W. Maddox, MB NTC, Great Lakes, resigned 10 Jan. '47.

Thomas C. Shanahan, MT&RC SDA, to Hqs 1stPioneerBn 1stMarDiv.

Ewald A. VomOrde, jr., MT&RC SDA, to Hqs 1stPioneerBn 1stMarDiv.

John H. DuBois, Jacksonville, to MCAB, Cherry Point.

Francis T. Eaton, 11thMCRDist, to MB, NB, Boston.

Frederick C. McLaughlin, So. Charleston, W. Va., to 2dMarDiv.

Earle W. Sargent, VMF-461, home to be relieved from active duty.

Peter J. Weigel, Earle, N. J., admitted to USNH, St. Albans, N. Y.

Hardy V. Huffstutter, jr., VMF-225, to VMF-114.

From station indicated, to 7th Marines:

Byron G. Genung, 5th Marines.
Arthur J. Poillon, 5th Marines.
Eugene J. Kritter, jr., 1st Marines.
James M. Tanner, 1stMarDiv.
William L. Henrikson, 1stMarDiv.
Van D. Bell, jr., 1stMarDiv, to 2dBn 1st Marines.
Donald M. Blomgren, MINSYd, to MD NavReTngComd, NB, Vallejo, Calif.
George G. Blair, II, MT&RC SDA, to 1stServBn, 1stMarDiv.

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Leonard E. Wordehof, FMFPac, to 7th ServRegt SC FMFPac.

Bermon E. Anderson, 1stMarDiv, to HqBn 1stMarDiv.

Julian B. Bird, QM, Off of QMGen HQMC Wash, to HqBn 1stMarDiv.

Egnatz P. Lamusga, classification changed from Gen. to QM.

James P. Drummond, U of Calif., Berkeley, to FMFPac.

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Raymond C. Shess, 11th Marines, to 7th Marines.

Walter E. Christmas, 1st Marines, to 7th Marines.

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Ernest D. Hulett, San Francisco, to MarGarForPac.

Ira M. Ward, Samar, to MarGarForPac.

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Bobbie B. Bradley, Gen., FMFPac, to 1stMarDiv.

Leon A. Cooper, Gen., FMFPac, to 1stMarDiv.

Luther A. McLendon, jr., Gen., FMFPac, to 1stMarDiv.

Gail E. Anderson, Ord, 2dMarDiv, to 2dServBn 2dMarDiv.

Raymond Posey, Ord, 2dMarDiv, to 1stBn 8thMarines.

Charles J. Rose, Gen., 1stMarDiv, to 7th ServRegt SC FMFPac.

Jerome Ross Ord, 5th ServDep SC FMFPac, to 7th ServRegt SC FMFPac.

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Jack N. Campbell, Gen., 1stMarDiv, to 1stBn, 1st Marines.

Clyde D. Therrien, Gen., MB Camp Lejeune, NC, to 2d AAABn.

Raymond J. Duplain, PM, HQMC, to MB NTC Great Lakes.

James H. Edmonson, QM, MCSupDep, Camp Lejeune, to H&SBn MB Camp Lejeune.

Albert B. Lamar, Gen., 2d Bn 6thMarines, to 3d ServBn 3dMarBrig.

Mack A. Lamm, QM, MB Camp Lejeune, to MT&RC SDA.

James A. Milton, QM, MB Camp Lejeune, to MT&RC SDA.

George W. Kay, Montford Pt Camp, to 3d MarBrig.

Henry Kijak, Camp Lejeune, to MCRecDep, Parris Island.

Frank R. Roberson, Camp Lejeune, to OrdSch, MCS, Quantico.

William D. Fowler, 1stMarDiv, to 1stTankBn, 1st MarDiv.

John W. Grantham, 1stMarDiv, to 1stServBn, 1stMarDiv.

William L. Seeley, Parris Island, to 2dBn 5th Marines.

Joseph E. Clement, Cherry Point, to MCRecDep, Parris Island.

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Martin F. Fritz, Bremerton, to MB, NS, Seattle.

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Leland L. Chapman, 1stBn 1st Marines.
Joshua Kelley, 1stBn 1st Marines.
Allen A. Lowrey, 1stBn 1st Marines.
Carroll A. Morris, 1stBn 1st Marines.
Clifton J. Cormier, 2dBn 11th Marines.
Robert R. Huff, 2dBn 11th Marines.
Edgar Smith, 2dBn 11th Marines.
Arden G. Doss, 2dBn 1st Marines.
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Roy T. Mize, 2dBn 1st Marines.
Joseph J. Oriowski, 2dBn 1st Marines.
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Alvie R. Stutesman, 1stTankBn, 1stMarDiv.
Granville G. Sweet, 1stTankBn, 1stMarDiv.
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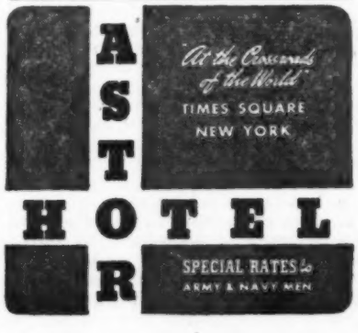

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Foreign Affairs—America's long effort to hasten unity of China through active participation in truce machinery was officially ended this week. This means early withdrawal of all our military personnel, save those in the small naval training center and in the Mission, which is specifically told not to participate in or advise on China civil war operations. It terminates immediately the work of personnel assigned to Chinese Executive Headquarters where General Marshall himself as special envoy tried for months to bring Central Government and Communist Government delegations to an agreement by which both factions would abide. General Marshall's own summary of China matters, issued while he was on his way home to become Secretary of State (as was suggested at the time), heralded this week's action by the Department: it held that responsibility for China's discord is divided between Right and Left extremists, and that the only hope for unity lies not in the readily broken pledges of Kuomintang and Communist, but, in accession to power by the moderates. What this week's Department announcement added, however, was a strong intimation that the Chinese moderates will have to do the job by themselves; there now is no indication of any active assistance by the United States, but it must be remembered we continue to recognize Chiang Kai-shek, not his opponents. What lies ahead is difficult to predict: there are prophecies of increased fighting among the Chinese, and deeper political cleavage. Among our best-informed military people in that theater, entirely awake to the situation and increasingly dubious of our efforts' effectiveness, there long had been a disposition to remain in China a while longer, if only to avert the vacuum which our withdrawal might cause; they felt that if Russia promptly moved in to fill the vacuum the situation would be worse rather than better. They and perhaps the Chinese, would have preferred to have our withdrawal made effective on the day when Soviet Russia withdraws its military personnel from Dairen, in accordance with Stalin's unfulfilled pledge of long ago. As it is, we have voluntarily given up a consideration which might have been used to get the Russians to make good on their agreement with China. We have not in any way lessened our traditional diplomatic support of a free and independent China and the open-door for all nations.

The China decision was the third policy item upon which Secretary of State Marshall acted. The other decisions affected Poland and Argentina. Without signing the statement, but letting it be known that it had his approval, he authorized on Tuesday a Department statement charging the Polish Government with having "failed to carry out its solemn pledges," for the free and unfettered election promised both at Yalta and Potsdam. It is just as well to have this stated clearly well in advance of the Moscow conference. There is, of course, no break in our relations with Poland, nor prospect of one (there is advantage just now in having a Warsaw observer), nor indeed anything suggestive of a threat of future action; although the Warsaw government can expect no financial assistance from us. The statement does, however, make it clear that the United States is perfectly aware of the coercion used by the Communist-dominated Polish Government to maintain itself in power, is still mindful of Poland's pledges to the contrary and of our own previous warnings, and "firmly intends to maintain its interest in the welfare of the Polish people." There was a routine request to Britain and Soviet Russia, as parties to the Yalta and Potsdam assurances, that they join us in protest, with the expected result; Britain agreed and Russia refused. The Argentina decision, it would appear, is not yet so firm as to put an end to our own Departmental differences of recent months. However, it appears to avoid the peril of a decision based on an unsteady foundation. Ambassador Messersmith has returned to his post to see what can be done to hasten, in considerably more diplomatic manner than the manner of last year, Argentina's elimination of Nazi activities. There is encouragement in last week's government seizure of three-score commercial concerns which had been, and reportedly still were, under Nazi domination. There is a hint that there will be a new round-up of Nazi agents. These are two steps in the right direction, and others are expected. If they are taken voluntarily by Argentina, rather than clearly under compulsion, some of the Latin-American advisers say, there will be a feeling of relief among lesser South American nations who have never enjoyed harsh words from the United States toward any Latin American government. Further, there will be advance toward the putting into effect of the military provisions of the Chapultepec treaty.

There was another State Department announcement at the week-end, which obviously had been planned for some weeks, but was not enunciated until General Marshall's accession. This was a commercial broadcast by State Department spokesmen who remarked that persistent Leftist propaganda in Eastern Europe, extremely critical of the United States and often singularly untruthful, is being used to build up bad feeling against us. In this propaganda there have been stories of "brutal" treatment of American workers, and exaggerations of crimes and misdemeanors by our troops in the occupation areas; there has been general refusal to give publicity to American statements of fact. To overcome the last named difficulty in a measure, the State Department's Information Service is instituting this month a daily broadcast for Russian hearers, lasting one hour and containing, in addition to musical numbers, an objective recital of world news. It is frankly hoped that this will serve in some measure to present Russian listeners with facts to counter the continuing anti-American propaganda of Pravda, for example, which lately has embarked on a new campaign of denunciation; the statesmanlike suggestions lately made by Senator Vandenberg Pravda has assailed as examples of American "imperialist" purposes, and the arms items in the American budget as evidences of "militarism." In support of its criticisms of America Pravda cites Mr. Henry Wallace. It will be remembered that Mr. Elliott Roosevelt lately questioned Generalissimo Stalin in such a way as to suggest that America's denazification of Germany is a failure. Lt. Gen. Lucius D. Clay agrees with Stalin that our course in that respect should not give the Soviet Government cause for alarm. He disagrees with the American tourist-interviewer, and states his own informed belief that America has "done as good a job as anybody" in denazification, and is continuing to do so.

Small is the progress of the German and Austrian treaty preliminaries in London. As expected, the Russian deputy has flatly opposed granting to the lesser nations anything except "discussion" privileges. They have demanded full participation, on the basis of their own large sacrifices of the past and interest in the future. The unchanged Moscow policy provides small encouragement of hopes either for celerity or good will at the main treaty discussions in Moscow, now only six weeks off.

Unfortunately in connection with those discussions will be an American delegation which lacks the background of the Russian and British Commissions. General Marshall has not been as familiar as they with the proceedings in which his predecessor, Mr. Byrnes, participated. Senator Vandenberg has decided not to attend the conference. His place may be taken by John Foster Dulles, but he, too, has no knowledge of the many confidential talks that occurred between Byrnes and Molotov. Senator Connally may accompany General Marshall which will be helpful. Our attitude will be for a consolidated political state so that a treaty of peace may be made by an organization rather than with zones.

Army Advisory Committees—The Army Advisory Committee Program, a part of the overall public relations dealing with community relations, provides a flow of information between the public at community level and the Army. Army Advisory Committees advise the commanding generals of the Army Areas in which they are formed as to those things which hamper Army policy, advise as to community attitudes which are based on adverse reaction to facts and policies of the Army, and correct adverse conditions through bringing to light underlying causes and insuring that the true facts are known.

Army-civilian cooperation through the use of councils, advisory groups or committees is not a new procedure, such groups having been used as long as 50 years ago. They have aided in the Army's recruiting program, eliminating congestion of housing, communication and transportation facilities in redeployment areas, and settling community level problems where such cooperation is the only answer.

Outstanding among the earlier groups were the Citizens Council of Columbus, Ga., the San Antonio Military Affairs Committee, the San Francisco Bay Area Defense Council, and the Public Relations Council of the City of Norfolk.

The use of Committees was first expanded to cover a large area when Maj. Gen. Manton S. Eddy developed them to aid the Army's recruiting campaign in the Third Service Command. Since that time committees have been enlarged and new ones formed in the Second Army Area which superseded the Third Service Command.

Knowing the value of the two-way flow of information resulting from Army-civilian cooperation, Lt. Gen. J. Lawton Collins, Director of Public Information, and Maj. Gen. Floyd L. Parks, Chief, War Department Public Relations Division, had set up within that division a Community Relations Unit to aid Army commanders in developing the Army Advisory Committee Program on a national basis.

The Second Army has at present some 153 committees formed. The First, Third, Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Army Areas have recently adopted the program and have approximately an average of 20 committees per Army Area.

The program, the War Department states, involves no additional expenditure but merely a more complete use of Army facilities at hand. The policy and purpose of the committees in all Army Areas is the same.

In many cases committees have been extremely critical, resulting in Army policy changes for the betterment of efficiency in operation. In some cases they have pointed out where personnel have not adhered to the policy as stated by the Army and corrections have been made. In other cases they have pointed out to their own communities where community cooperation has been lacking.

Obtaining community attitudes, cooperation and advice on a national scale for the War Department may be the means of affecting progressive changes in Army policies. Looking into the immediate future, it is expected that the program will be effective in promoting full Army-civilian cooperation for such programs as venereal disease control.

The advice coming from the committees within each Army Area are passed on to the War Department through the Community Relations Unit and that of value to other Army Areas is routed to them.

"Recapture" War Diaries—Action this week by Secretary of the Treasury Snyder in requesting former Treasury Secretary Morgenthau to turn over to the Department the diary the latter kept of the official and unofficial events that transpired during his time in Government office has aroused considerable speculation as to whether similar action may be taken to get diaries kept by other Cabinet members and officers of the Government out of private hands and into official custody. As evidence that Mr. Snyder has the backing of the Administration in his effort to gain custody of such diaries is the fact that it later became known that President Truman is planning to ask Congress to enact a bill restricting the withdrawal of state papers for personal use by public officials.

It is recalled that former Secretary of War Stimson kept a detailed diary of events while he was in the President's family. Mr. Stimson quoted extensively from this diary in testifying on events leading up to the Pearl Harbor attack. In an article in the current *Harper's Magazine*, Mr. Stimson also makes use of quotations from his diary, as well as of the texts of confidential memoranda he gave to President Truman on the atomic bomb. In lower echelons, too, diaries kept by individual officers of official events have been issued from book publishers. Notable among these is "My Three Years With Eisenhower," being the day to day diary kept by Capt. Harry C. Butcher, USNR, while he was an aide and a member of General of the Army Eisenhower's official staff. Another was the "Brereton Diaries" written by Lt. Gen. Lewis H. Brereton, USA, concerning events in Pacific warfare. It is understood, too, that there are others in the Armed Services, as well as in many other branches of the government, who are preparing to publish books based on their war diaries and on information which came to them in their official capacities. What effect the Administration's new stand on these matters will have remains to be seen.

Assist General Marshall—Of considerable assistance to General of the Army George C. Marshall in his new responsibility as Secretary of State are three Army Colonels who are helping to administer the closing-out of General Marshall's assignment as special ambassador to China. All three have been serving on this mission since General Marshall was first assigned the mediation role last Spring.

The three officers, while now engaged in completing administrative details of General Marshall's China mission, have not been designated as permanent members of the State Department staff. One, Col. J. V. Underwood, remains in China, and another, Col. John H. Caughey, Inf., returned with General Marshall in mid-January when he was called home to take over the Secretaryship. Colonel Caughey, with offices in the War Department, is relieving the Secretary of as much routine as possible. Acting as liaison between Colonel Underwood in China and through the State Department to Colonel Caughey is Col. M. S. Carter, CAC. All three are West Pointers and officers of the Regular Army.

General Marshall was accompanied from Honolulu by Colonel Caughey and two Sergeants who are also serving the Secretary temporarily until his full State Department staff can be formed. Sgt. R. O. Wing, who was the General's orderly, continues in that capacity, and Staff Sgt. A. A. Weaver continues to serve as stenographer on the China mission.

AAF High Command—Rumors that General Carl Spaatz, commanding general of the Army Air Forces, is soon to retire have been heard again lately. Some six months ago it was rumored that his immediate retirement was expected. This time a similiar rumor concerning Lt. Gen. Ira C. Eaker, deputy to General Spaatz, also circulates.

Regardless of the reliability of such rumors, they have caused much speculation as to a possible successor to the AAF head. Among those mentioned frequently is General Joseph T. McNarney, despite the recent announcement that he will become AAF Representative of the Joint Chiefs of Staff on the Military Committee of the United Nations.

Many contend that a logical successor would be General George C. Kenney, commanding general of the Strategic Air Command.

Separate Air Force—It is generally understood in Washington that some of the most influential officers in Naval Aviation, individually, are still opposed to that portion of the unification plan calling for an autonomous Air Force. Officially, no officers are in public opposition to the plan which has the formal approval of the Secretary and the President. Some of the Navy's air admirals, however, still oppose creation of a separate Air Force for the same reason they have always opposed it—the suspicion that establishment of a separate air arm would be only the first step in eventual curtailment of all aviation endeavors not in line with the present Army Air Force viewpoint. This latter viewpoint has often been considered lacking in understanding of some of the functional aspects of naval aviation, as evidenced by Air Force criticisms of naval aviation and the Navy as a service.

Although neither Vice Adm. Forrest P. Sherman nor Maj. Gen. Lauris Norstad, who evolved the unification outline, is now associated directly with aviation, both are experienced in that field. It is generally felt that their plan permits the full development of all possible military tactics and techniques.

Navy airmen are not likely to voluntarily voice their opposition to establishment of an autonomous Air Force, but their position, if called on by Congressional committees for their opinions, may bring interesting comments.

Marine Corps—A further step toward reducing the Marine Corps to its planned post-war strength was taken by Headquarters this week by announcing that approximately 8,000 enlisted men are now eligible for discharge. There are approximately 103,000 Marine Corps enlisted men now on active duty.

Under the new regulations, all Marines whose current enlistment date was prior to 1 Feb. 1945, or those having one combat engagement to their credit and who enlisted during the period 1 Feb.-31 Aug. 1945, are eligible for immediate discharge upon written application, regardless of their enlistment expiration dates.

Commanding Officers at overseas stations have been directed to return men who make application for release to the United States as soon as practical for processing and discharge. Men in essential positions may be retained for a period not to exceed 60 days, according to the new regulations. Applications must be submitted not later than 1 May.

The Seventh Regiment of the First Marine Division, comprising 65 officers and 1,338 enlisted men, arrived on the West Coast in three shiploads during the week. They will join the Third Brigade at Camp Pendleton. The Seventh Marines were transported on three Navy ships, the USS Chilton (APA-38), USS Rankin (AKA-103), and USS Bollinger (APA-234). Their arrival was marked by the San Diego Base with band music and a parade of the band.

Transportation Corps—Suggestions for improvement of various types of operations within the Transportation Corps, submitted by military personnel and civilian employees, effected an estimated savings of $4,500,000 during 1946, it was announced by Maj. Gen. Edmond H. Leavey, Chief of Transportation.

As important as the savings in money during the past year, General Leavey stated, were the improvements in machinery and locomotive equipment which resulted in the elimination of many health and accident hazards, and of still further significance was the intrinsic gain in the betterment of employee-management relationships.

The Transportation Corps Officer Candidate Program at Ft. Eustis, Va., has been terminated as a Branch activity of the Transportation School with the graduation 21 Jan. of forty-six graduates of Class No. 54. Since its establishment in October, 1942, at the Mississippi State College, Starksville, Miss., the Officer Candidate School has commissioned a total of 7,500 Transportation Corps Second Lieutenants.

Quartermaster Corps—In a recapitulation of the Master Menu for 1946 the Quartermaster Corps states that the value of the garrison ration, which stood at 60.07 cents in January 1946, is now 79.88 cents, or 32 per cent higher than a year ago. In the same period the field ration, which is served to most troops, jumped 21 per cent in value, from 60.07 cents to 72.88 cents.

The caloric content and general structure of the master menu in 1946 was not changed appreciably over that of the previous year. Designed to yield approximately 3,611 calories a day, trimmings and such waste as bones and grease represented about a five per cent loss. Over a period of a year, a soldier was served about 1,829 pounds of food, of which 335 pounds were meat, 506 pounds vegetables and potatoes, 281 pounds milk and milk products and 190 pounds cereals and breads. The remaining 500-odd pounds of food included fruits, sugars, citrus fruits and juices, eggs, fats, beverages, dried fruits and condiments.

Finance Department—Col. Eugene M. Foster, FD, Assistant Chief of Finance, USA, visited the FOUSA at the Army Base, Brooklyn, N. Y., last week in connection with disbursing and audit problems pertaining to that area.

Col. William A. Enos, FD, was awarded the Bronze Star Medal by Maj. Gen. William H. Kasten, Chief of Finance, U. S. Army, in a ceremony attended by all OCF division chiefs in General Kasten's office last week. Colonel Enos was responsible for the safeguarding and accounting of millions of dollars worth of valuables which were taken to Corregidor. He left Corregidor on one of the last PBY airplanes to fly from there.

Col. James F. Stroker, FD, formerly on duty in the Office of the Chief of Staff, Washington, D. C., has been assigned as Commandant of the Army Finance School at the Army Finance Center, St. Louis 20, Mo., vice Col. Leighton N. Smith, FD, who is now serving with the War Assets Administration in Washington, D. C. Pending arrival of Colonel Stroker, Maj. Sherburne J. Heliker, FD, is the Acting School Commandant.

Corps of Engineers—Col. Earl E. Gessler has assumed the post of Eighth Army Engineer Officer at Yokohama. Colonel Gessler relieves Col. David M. Dunne, who has held the post since June, 1944. Before his recent arrival in Japan, Colonel Gessler was division engineer of the Middle-Atlantic Division with headquarters in Baltimore, Md.

Army Ground Forces—General Jacob L. Devers, Commanding General, Army Ground Forces, left Fort Monroe 1 Feb. for Alaska to inspect AGF Winter Equipment Task Forces "Frigid" at Ladd Field, and "Williwaw," at Adak. Accompanying General Devers are: Maj. Gen. John L. Homer, Commandant AAA and Guided Missiles Center, Ft. Bliss, Tex.; Brig. Gen. Doyle O. Hickey, Chief of Developments Section, AGF; Brig. Gen. George W. Smythe, Chief Operations and Organization, G-3, AGF; Brig. Gen. Reuben E. Jenkins, AGF Board No. 3; Col. Guy O. Kurtz, AGF Board No. 1; Col. George W. Read, AGF Board No. 2; and Maj. Edward H. DeSaussure, Aide to General Devers.

Other AGF officers who left 30 Jan. to observe operations of either Task Force "Frigid" or "Williwaw" include Lieutenant Colonels Michael Popowski, jr., William B. Travis, and Robert M. Burnett, Developments Section.

Lt. Col. Kermit R. Schweidel and Capt. William D. Sydnor, jr., Antiaircraft and Guided Missiles Center, Fort Bliss, Texas, addressed AGF officers 28 Jan. on Guided Missiles.

The 2nd Information and Historical Service, consisting of two officers, one warrant officer and five enlisted men, which arrived at Fort Monroe on permanent change of station 22 Jan., and was assigned directly to Hqs., AGF, has been reassigned for duty with the Information and the Historical Sections.

Brig. Gen. George W. Smythe visited Staunton Military Academy 22 Jan. to attend ceremonies connected with the unveiling of the bust of Maj. Thomas D. Howie, "the Major of St. Lo." General Smythe was assistant PMS & T at Staunton Military Academy at the time Major Howie was serving as Assistant Athletic Coach (1928-1932).

Brig. Gen. Harold A. Nisley, Ground Ordnance Officer; Col. William Alexander, F.A. Branch, Developments, and Col. Richard Sears, F.A. Branch, G-3, have returned to Fort Monroe following a three-day cruise aboard a navy rocket craft.

Recent speakers from among the AGF staff officers include Colonels Albert C. Lieber and Phillip C. Wehle, Plans Section. Colonel Lieber addressed the advance class, Fort Belvoir, Va., on "The Future Role of Army Ground Forces." Speaking before the New News (Virginia) Lion's Club, Colonel Wehle discussed "The Mission of the Army Ground Forces."

Army and Navy Chaplains—Maj. Harold Elsam, on duty with the chief of chaplains, War Department, and national executive secretary of the Army and Navy Chaplains' Association, left San Antonio by air Friday for Chicago after a 3-day visit at Fort Sam Houston, where he helped map plans for the national association convention to be held in San Antonio, Col. Joseph O. Ensrud, Fort Sam Houston chaplain reported.

Selection of the Gunter Hotel as convention headquarters and the definite setting of the convention date for 6 May through 9 May were approved at a Thursday afternoon meeting of the San Antonio chapter at a meeting at the Fourth Army Officers' Club, where Major Elsam was an honor guest. Further details were worked out with hotel officials in the afternoon. Major Elsam explained the plans for the training conference to be held in connection with the convention.

Colonel Ensrud expects 600 chaplains or former chaplains for the convention. Several overseas' chaplains have indicated their intention of attending, he added.

Adjutant General's Department—Col. Eustace M. Peixotto, AGD, Assistant The Adjutant General for Management, and Maj. Robert O. Rupp, Training Section of the Adjutant General's Department Branch, AGO, were at the Adjutant General's School at Carlisle Barracks on Tuesday and Wednesday in connection with school matters.

Col. Ambrose White, AGD, arrived in Washington this week for temporary duty in The Adjutant General's Office from Nanking, China, where he is a member of the Army Advisory Group.

Col. Vernon W. Rice, AGD, Administrative Services, AGO, left for New York City this week for temporary duty with the Translation Branch, a section of the Army Publications Service which he heads.

Lt. Col. Ralph Lavorgna, AGD, Hq. 7th Army, attended a two-day conference last week at the Personnel Research Division, AGO, in New York City, in connection with the operation of the Officer Candidate Selection Program.

Lt. Col. C. V. Frey, AGD, and Capt. H. B. McElree, AGD, of the Ground Adjutant General's Office are at Fort Knox studying the classification procedures of the Universal Military Training Unit.

Bureau of Medicine and Surgery—Rear Adm. John C. Adams, (MC), USN, former Assistant Chief of the Bureau for Aviation Medicine and Medical Military Specialties, has been appointed District Medical Officer for the 5th Naval District, Norfolk, Va.

Rear Adm. John Harper, (MC), USN, has been relieved as General Inspector of the Medical Department and Chief of the Research Division. Rear Adm. Clarence J. Brown, (MC), USN, former Medical Officer in Command, U. S. Naval Hospital, St. Albans, L. I., New York has assumed the duties of General Inspector. Admiral Harper has been ordered to the 13th Naval District to become District Medical Officer for the 13th Naval District with Headquarters at Seattle, Wash.

Rear Adm. Carlton L. Andrus, (MC), USN, has been detached from his duties as Assistant Chief of Bureau for Planning and Logistics and has been appointed Medical Officer in Command, U. S. Naval Medical Center, Guam and as Medical Officer on the staffs of the Commander, Marianas Islands and of the Naval Governor of Guam.

Capt. Eric G. Hakansson, (MC), USN, has been appointed Chief of the Research Division, Bureau of Medicine and Surgery and will continue his duties as Commanding Officer of the Naval Medical Research Institute, Bethesda, Maryland.

Chemical Corps—Maj. Gen. Alden H. Waitt, Chief, Chemical Corps, made the opening address at the initial meeting of the Research Council of the Chemical Corps Advisory Board held recently at the Army Chemical Center, Edgewood, Md.

Dr. W. A. Noyes, jr., President of the American Chemical Society and Professor of Chemistry at Rochester University, has been designated chairman of the Council. Members of the Council attending were: Dr. Harold H. Smith, Cornell University; Dr. N. Paul Hudson, Ohio State University; Dr. H. Frazier Johnstone, University

of Illinois; Dr. Franklin C. McLean, University of Chicago; Dr. Walter R. Kirner, National Academy of Sciences and Dr. Herbert Scoville (representing Dr. Stafford Warren, Strong Memorial Hospital, Rochester, N. Y.). Dr. M. C. Winternitz, Yale University, was unable to attend the initial meeting.

Army Medical Department—Consolidation of the Medical Department Enlisted Technicians Schools with the Army Medical Department Schools to form the newly designated Medical Field Service Schools has been announced by Brig. Gen. John M. Willis, Commanding General of Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Tex.

Brig. Gen. Joseph I. Martin, Deputy Commanding General of Brooke Army Medical Center, will be the Commandant of the combined schools.

Designed to provide improved technical training for both medical officers and medical enlisted men, the consolidation will effect economies in line with the present army program.

Signal Corps—The Chief Signal Officer has announced the following changes in field installations: The General Electric Unit, Signal Corps Procurement District, has been closed and its remaining personnel and files have been transferred to the Signal Procurement District. The Oakland Signal Sub-Depot has been redesignated as the Sacramento Depot Storage Annex.

The Legion of Merit has been awarded to Maj. Robert S. Benjamin, Sig C, and Maj. Lawrence D. Prehn, Sig C.

Ordnance Department—Maj. Gen. W. W. Richards, C.B., C.B.E., M.C., new British Chief of Ordnance, was the guest of Maj. Gen. Everett S. Hughes, U. S. Army Chief of Ordnance, on a tour of Aberdeen Proving Ground on 30 Jan. He was accompanied by his aide, Lt. Col. F. C. Buckley, and Maj. C. T. Rodgers.

General Richards is in this country for a month's visit, during which time his schedule includes visits to numerous military installations. Among these are Letterkenny Ordnance Depot, one of Ordnance's largest general depots; the Detroit Arsenal, Ordnance's newest (seventh) manufacturing arsenal; Rock Island Arsenal, famous since the Civil War primarily for its field artillery gun carriages; and Red River Arsenal, which is perhaps our largest general depot.

Quartermaster Corps—Lt. Col. John E. Soule, former deputy chief of staff, Headquarters Seventh Army, Atlanta, Ga., has been assigned to the Office of the Chief Quartermaster, FEC, as theatre food service supervisor. Mrs. Soule and their two children, Linda and Peter, are presently residing in Atlanta.

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Wash., D. C.

Col. J. L. Keasler, Ft. Dix, N. J., to AGO Casuals, Wash., D. C.

Col. F. C. Roecker, Pasco, Wash., to QM Sch, Cp Lee, Va.

Col. F. G. Marchman, Wash., D. C., to Hq 5th Army, Chicago.

Lt. Col. F. V. Barchard, Cp Lee, Va., to Gen Dep, New Cumberland, Pa.

Lt. Col. F. E. Gerber, Wash., D. C., to Stu Det Hq 1st Army, Governors Is., N. Y.

Lt. Col. H. W. Gourgues, Cp Beale, Calif., to NYPE, Army Base, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Lt. Col. A. J. Jennings, Cp Lee, Va., to Hq 2d Army, Baltimore.

Lt. Col. H. O. McGillin, Philadelphia, to SFPE, Ft. Mason, Calif.

Lt. Col. V. R. Silbaugh, Cp Lee, Va., to Hq 7th Army, Atlanta, Ga.

Lt. Col. P. D. Puff, Cp Polk, La., to 2552d ASU, Philadelphia.

Lt. Col. M. S. Jones, Savannah, Ga., to Gen Dep, Atlanta, Ga.

Lt. Col. J. D. Martz, jr., Charlotte, N. C., to OQMG, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. H. W. Sax, Ft. Dix, N. J., to QM Dep, Charlotte, N. C.

Capt. J. A. Love, Cp Lee, Va., to 6th Army Sv Dep Pasco Gen Dep, Pasco, Wash.

Capt. J. A. Mena, Ft. Dix, N. J., to 6th Army Engr Board Test Br, Yuma, Ariz.

Capt. R. E. Toler, Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga., to 7th Army Fla Mil Dist, Jacksonville, Fla.

Capt. R. S. Cobb, Ft. Dix, N. J., to Hq 7th Army, Atlanta, Ga.

Capt. C. B. Farr, Ft. Dix, N. J., to 6th Army Ogden Ars, Ogden, Utah.

Capt. H. H. Kettell, Chicago, to 5th Army Sta Comp, Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.

Capt. P. E. Hopkins, Cp Lee, Va., to 7th Army Tenn Mil Dist, Nashville, Tenn.

Capt. A. A. Gass, Cp Lee, Va., to 7th Army Pratt GH, Coral Gables, Fla.

Capt. W. Irons, Roanoke, Va., to 2d Army Rctg Sv, Richmond, Va.

Capt. J. K. Kitchen, Ft. Dix, N. J., to Hq Mt and Winter Warfare Sch, Cp Carson, Colo.

Capt. C. W. Nesbitt, Ft. Dix, N. J., to 5th Army, Ft. Omaha, Nebr.

Capt. R. G. Fint, Cp Hood, Tex., to 4th Army Det Army & Navy GH, Hot Springs Nat'l Pk, Ark.

Capt. H. C. Graser, Ft. Dix, N. J., to 5th Army, Percy Jones GH, Ft. Custer, Mich.

1st Lt. A. A. Borselli, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to 899th QM Ldry Co, Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.

1st Lt. J. J. Carfagno, Cp Lee, Va., to 899th QM Ldry Co, Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.

1st Lt. F. E. Chismire, Cp Lee, Va., to 7th Army Oliver GH, Augusta, Ga.

1st Lt. P. Ecenia, Cp Grumber, Okla., to 4th Army Sta Comp, Ft. Bliss, Tex.

1st Lt. R. A. Hatfield, Kansas City, to QM Repl Pool, Cp Lee, Va.

1st Lt. E. H. Maxwell, Cp Lee, Va., to CIC Ctr Holabird Sig Dep, Balto., Md.

1st Lt. W. F. Shotwell, Cp Lee, Va., to CIC Ctr Holabird Sig Dep, Balto., Md.

1st Lt. A. J. Weber, Cp Lee, Va., to Gr Gen Sch, Ft. Riley, Kans.

1st Lt. J. M. Zimnicki, Cp Lee, Va., to 6th Army Hq Sp Trps, San Francisco.

2nd Lt. T. H. Herrick, San Francisco, to 6th Army Caretaking Det, Cp Cooke, Calif.

2nd Lt. R. M. Nichols, Ft. Dix, N. J., to 2nd Army Holabird Sig Dep, Md.

2nd Lt. R. O. Ordonez, Cp Lee, Va., to American Zone Graves Registration Sv, Brooklyn, N. Y.

2nd Lt. E. W. Wilson, Stockton, Calif., to QM Sch, Cp Lee, Va.

2nd Lt. L. O. Brenner, Ft. Sheridan, Ill., to 5th Army, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.

2nd Lt. K. L. Moe, Cp Lee, Va., to 5th Army, Cp Carson, Colo.

2nd Lt. H. J. Sevedge, Cp Lee, Va., to 6th Army Post Oper Co, Ft. Lewis, Wash.

The following QMC officers are reld fr asgmt and dy at orgn and sta indicated and are atchd unasgd to Stu det Hq 1st Army, Governors Is., N. Y., w/sta at Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.:

Col. J. M. Lamont, OQMC, Wash., D. C.

Maj. W. D. Melton, OQMC, Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. C. L. Arnold, QM Sch, Cp Lee, Va.

The following QMC officers are reld fr asgmt and dy at orgn and sta indicated and asgd National Hq SS System, Wash., D. C.:

Capt. C. L. Walls, RS No. 2, Ft. Dix, N. J.

Capt. C. M. C. Lyle, RS No. 2, Ft. Dix, N. J.

Capt. J. J. O'Halloran, QM Dep Army Base, Boston, Mass.

1st Lt. T. A. Sutton, QM Tng Center, Cp Lee, Va.

2nd Lt. O. F. Smith, jr., QM Tng Center, Cp Lee, Va.

The following QMC officers are reld fr asgmt and dy 4th Army Det Bruns GH, Santa Fe, N. Mex., and asgd to Gen Dep, Stockton, Calif.:

Capt. W. J. Hammack.

Capt. H. E. Nelson.

The following QMC officers are reld fr asgmt and dy indicated at Cp Lee, Va., and are atchd unasgd to Stu Det Hq 2d Army, Balto., Md., w/sta at Univ of Pittsburgh, Pa..

Lt. Col. J. R. Maedler, QM Tng Center.

2nd Lt. E. L. Powers, QM Repl Pool QM Tng Center.

The following QMC officers are reld fr asgmt and dy at orgn indicated and atchd unasgd to Stu Det the QM Sch, Cp Lee, Va.:

Capt. A. M. Fragala, QM Market Ctr, NYC.

1st Lt. W. E. Gilbert, Market Ctr Fld Hq Sup Div OQMG, Chicago.

Capt. W. C. Nichols, QM Market Ctr, Richmond, Va.

Capt. S. E. May, OQMG, Wash., D. C.

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MAJ. GEN. W. H. KASTEN, C OF F

Col. F. E. Coyne, Ft. Custer, Mich., to WAA, Wash., D. C.

Col. J. F. Stroker, Wash., D. C., to Fin Sch, OCF, St. Louis.

Col. W. A. Enos, Wash., D. C., to Fin Office, New Orleans.

Lt. Col. O. T. Hinkley, Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga., to Hq 7th Army, Atlanta, Ga.

Lt. Col. B. Jeffrey, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to FD RP OCF, St. Louis.

Lt. Col. R. N. Shuck, St. Louis, Mo., to 5th Army, Ft. Sheridan, Ill.

Lt. Col. F. L. Smith, jr., St. Louis, to OC of S, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. W. S. Keller, Wash., D. C., to Regional Off Army Audit Agency, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Maj. C. L. Duff, Ft. Dix, N. J., to FDRP Fin Ctr OCF, St. Louis, Mo.

Maj. J. R. Watts, jr., Ft. Bragg, N. C., to Huntsville Ars, Huntsville, Ala.

Maj. R. S. Wills, St. Louis to Fin Office, San Francisco.

Maj. J. T. Wood, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to 4th Army, Cp Hood, Tex.

Capt. S. Cooper, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to Hq 7th Army, Atlanta, Ga.

2nd Lt. L. R. Adams, St. Louis, to 5th Army, Ft. Sheridan, Ill.

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Medical Corps

Col. C. A. Best, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to Wm. Beaumont GH, El Paso, Tex.

Lt. Col. T. W. E. Christmas, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to 1st Army, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y.

Lt. Col. L. J. Numainville, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to Army & Navy GH, Hot Springs Nat'l Pk, Ark.

Lt. Col. H. C. Slaughter, Brooklyn, N. Y., to 215th Hosp Ship's Comp SFPE, Ft. Mason, Calif.

Maj. B. E. Wright, jr., Ft. Wayne, Mich., to Madigan GH, Ft. Lewis, Wash.

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Capt. I. H. Canfield, Ft. Mason, Calif., to 6th Army 6003d ASU, Ft. Ord, Calif.

Capt. A. F. Galloway, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to 7th Army 3440 ASU, Ft. Benning, Ga.

Capt. H. D. Severn, Ft. Jackson, S. C., to 2d Army Sta Hosp, Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md.

Capt. D. C. Varney, San Francisco, to 6th Army Sta Hosp, Ft. Lawton, Wash.

1st Lt. P. Coletta, Cp Kilmer, N. J., to MD Repl Pool Brooke AMC, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

1st Lt. S. H. Katz, Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga., to 7th Army 3460 ASU, Ft. McClellan, Ala.

1st Lt. W. M. Center, Ft. Eustis, Va., to Brooke AMC, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

1st Lt. O. T. Englehart, jr., Ft. Custer, Mich., to Valley Forge GH, Phoenixville, Pa.

1st Lt. N. L. Handelman, Brooklyn, N. Y., to Hosp Train Unit, Cp Kilmer, N. J.

1st Lt. R. W. Muckley, jr., Alexandria, La., to Vets' Adm Hosp, Jackson, Miss.

1st Lt. W. R. Pace, jr., N. Little Rock, Ark., to Vets' Adm Hosp, Wadsworth, Kans.

1st Lt. G. M. Stewart, Gulfport, Miss., to Vets' Adm Hosp, Biloxi, Miss.

1st Lt. B. F. Townsend, Phoenixville, Pa., to 2d Army, Ft. Geo. G. Meade, Md.

1st Lt. G. M. Wohlfeld, Cp Beale, Calif., to 6th Army Sta Hosp, Ft. Rosecrans, Calif.

1st Lt. A. Bales, Alexandria, La., to Vets' Adm Hosp, Jackson, Miss.

1st Lt. P. R. Berger, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to 5th Army, Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyo.

1st Lt. J. J. Crumbley, Cp Stoneman, Calif., to Oliver GH, Augusta, Ga.

1st Lt. M. J. Gardner, Ft. Knox, Ky., to 2d Army, Ft. Eustis, Va.

1st Lt. W. S. Hood, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to 7th Army ASU 3442, Ft. McPherson, Ga.

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1st Lt. W. J. Little, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to 5th Army Sta Hosp, Cp McCoy, Wis.

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1st Lt. R. P. Boswell, jr., Ft. Bragg, N. C., to 7th Army ASU 3460, Ft. McClellan, Ala.

1st Lt. F. F. Evans, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to 7th Army 3440 ASU, Ft. Benning, Ga.

1st Lt. G. Fletcher, San Fernando, Calif., to Vets' Adm Hosp, Oakland, Calif.

1st Lt. J. C. Foushee, Ft. Moultrie, S. C., to 7th Army ASU 3460, Ft. McClellan, Ala.

1st Lt. N. Goldfarb, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to 7th Army 3440th ASU, Ft. Benning, Ga.

1st Lt. W. B. Greenberg, Ft. Dix, N. J., to 1st Army Sta Hosp, Cp Kilmer, N. J.

1st Lt. T. A. Harris, Cp Stoneman, Calif., to 321st AAF BU, Riverside, Calif.

1st Lt. C. Z. Holt, Ft. Bliss, Tex., to AMC, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. J. G. McConahy, Phoenixville, Pa., to Vets' Adm Hosp, Butler, Pa.

1st Lt. G. B. McMurtrey, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to 7th Army 3511th ASU, Atlanta, Ga.

1st Lt. A. H. Mernit, Ft. Knox, Ky., to AMC, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. E. W. Ebinger, Chicago, to 5th Army Rctg Dist, Kansas City.

1st Lt. G. V. Hartman, Ft. Riley, Kans., to 5th Army, Ft. Omaha, Nebr.

1st Lt. E. C. Heinmiller, Ft. Robinson, Nebr., to 5th Army Ord Dep, Pueblo, Colo.

1st Lt. J. C. Herweg, Gulfport, Miss., to Vets' Adm Hosp, Springfield, Mo.

1st Lt. H. W. Jones, jr., Butler, Pa., to Edgewood Ars, Md.

1st Lt. A. E. Luckett, Denver, to Brooke AMC, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

1st Lt. F. M. Reis, Dearborn, Mich., to 5th Army, Ft. Omaha, Nebr.

1st Lt. J. R. Roberts, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to 7th Army 3440 ASU, Ft. Benning, Ga.

1st Lt. A. E. Schultz, Denver, to Valley Forge GH, Phoenixville, Pa.

1st Lt. W. E. Stern, Ft. Lawton, Wash., to Letterman GH, San Francisco.

1st Lt. P. L. Vinciguerra, Ft. Riley, Kans., to 5th Army, Ft. Omaha, Nebr.

1st Lt. J. R. Williams, Buffalo, N. Y., to AMC, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. J. E. Witcher, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to 7th Army 3440 ASU, Ft. Benning, Ga.

1st Lt. R. L. Young, Phoenixville, Pa., to 4th Army 9222 ASU Ships Comp, NOPE, New Orleans.

1st Lt. W. P. Riley, Cp Kilmer, N. J., to MD Repl Pool Brooke AMC, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

1st Lt. G. J. Gabuzda, jr., MacDill Fld, Fla., to Med Nutrition Lab, Chicago.

1st Lt. S. M. Rubin, Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga., to 7th Army 3460 ASU, Ft. McClellan, Ala.

1st Lt. H. Singer, Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif., to 6th Army Sta Hosp, Ft. MacArthur, Calif.

1st Lt. F. Wroblewski, Ft. Wadsworth, N. Y., to 1st Army Staten Island Area Sta Hosp., N. Y.

DENTAL CORPS

BRIG. GEN. T. L. SMITH, ASST. TO SG.

Maj. J. R. Beckwith, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to Tilton GH, Ft. Dix, N. J.

Capt. G. W. Burnett, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., to SGO, Wash., D. C.

Capt. R. R. Williams, Battle Creek, Mich., to 3505th ASU BU, Belleville, Ill.

1st Lt. F. A. Heilg, Ft. Riley, Kans., to 5th Army, Ft. Sheridan, Ill.

1st Lt. D. S. Olinger, Ft. Riley, Kans., to 5th Army, Ft. Sheridan, Ill.

1st Lt. M. P. Rothman, Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md., to 310th AAF BU, Pope Fld, Ft. Bragg, N. C.

1st Lt. J. K. Rueckl, Cp Lee, Va., to 610 AAF BU, Air Pr Gr Comd, Eglin Fld, Fla.

Medical Administrative Corps

Capt. W. J. Brandner, Cp Campbell, Ky., to Percy Jones GH, Battle Creek, Mich.

Capt. N. Burgess, El Paso, Tex., to Brooke AMC, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Capt. G. R. Feye, Ft. Wayne, Mich., to 5th Army, Cp McCoy, Wis.

Capt. A. E. Schlanser, jr., Ft. Dix, N. J., to 529th Air Sv Gp, Dow Fld, Bangor, Me.

Capt. E. C. Rhue, Wash., D. C., to Tilton GH, Ft. Dix, N. J.

Capt. C. L. Tackett, Ft. Sheridan, Ill., to 6th Med Dep, St. Louis, Mo.

Capt. A. Torres, Ft. Eustis, Va., to 1st Army USDB, Greenhaven, N. Y.

Capt. D. J. Watson, San Francisco, to 318th AAF BU Lockbaurne AAF, Columbus, Ohio.

Capt. A. R. Williams, Cp Polk, La., to AMC, Wash., D. C.

Capt. S. N. Kapp, Ft. Jackson, S. C., to 7th Army 3442 ASU, Ft. McPherson, Ga.

1st Lt. R. G. Breeden, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to 7th Army 421st Med Collecting Co, Ft. Jackson, S. C.

1st Lt. W. H. Godfrey, Harrisburg, Pa., to CIC Ctr Holabird Sig Dep, Balto., Md.

1st Lt. L. F. Garland, Ft. Meade, Md., to AMC, Wash., D. C.

2nd Lt. R. L. Jackson, Ft. Jackson, S. C., to 7th Army 375th Med Collecting Co, Ft. Benning, Ga.

Pharmacy Corps

Capt. J. M. Homs, Cp Campbell, Ky., to Percy Jones GH, Battle Creek, Mich.

1st Lt. R. L. Smith, Cp Campbell, Ky., to 38th Regt Combat Team, Cp Carson, Colo.

Veterinary Corps

Col. D. H. Mallan, Cp Beale, Calif., to Vet Repl Pool QM Dep, Chicago.

Lt. Col. W. F. Collins, Chicago, to 2d Army 2124 ASU, Ft. Monroe, Va.

Capt. S. E. Davis, Cp Beale, Calif., to 6th Army 6001 ASU, Ft. Douglas, Utah.

Capt. P. W. Hitesman, Chicago, to QM Dep, Ft. Worth, Tex.

Physical Therapists

1st Lt. J. M. Blue, Cp Beale, Calif., to Letterman GH, San Francisco.

Dieticians

2nd Lt. E. Fredrickson, Ft. Dix, N. J., to Army & Navy GH, Hot Springs Nat'l Park, Ark.

ARMY NURSE CORPS

COL. F. A. BLANCHFIELD, SUPT.

Maj. E. Traeger, Hot Springs Nat'l Pk, Ark., to 5th Army Sta Hosp, Ft. Sheridan, Ill.

Maj. M. E. Hause, Towson, Md., to Army & Navy GH, Hot Springs Nat'l Pk, Ark.

Maj. E. V. Newkirk, Ft. Dix, N. J., to Oliver GH, Augusta, Ga.

Capt. E. Burton, Ft. Dix, N. J., to 1st Army 1300 ASU Det No. 1, Cp Kilmer, N. J.

Capt. E. M. McCausland, Cambridge, Mass., to Murphy GH, Waltham, Mass.

Capt. K. M. M. Cote, Staten Is., N. Y., to 1st Army 1300 ASU Det No. 1, Cp Kilmer, N. J.

Capt. C. M. Ullom, Ft. Robinson, Nebr., to 5th Army Sioux Ord Dep, Sidney, Nebr.

Capt. L. A. Wilson, Battle Creek, Mich., to 2d Army Sta Hosp, Cp Lee, Va.

Capt. M. E. Paul, Battle Creek, Mich., to Brooke GH, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Capt. E. A. Whitfield, Ft. Jackson, S. C., to 7th Army Sta Hosp, Ft. McClellan, Ala.

Capt. M. B. Clark, Cp Lee, Va., to Brooke GH, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

Capt. F. L. Nash, Ft. McPherson, Ga., to Brooke, GH, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

1st Lt. E. E. Duffield, Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md., to 2d Army, Ft. Monroe, Va.

1st Lt. P. P. Megargel, Cp Beale, Calif., to Valley Forge GH, Phoenixville, Pa.

1st Lt. A. L. Soileck, Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md.,

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Senate Gets Nominations of Officers Named For Regular Commissions

PRESIDENT Truman 27 Jan. sent to the Senate the nominations of 1,864 officers and former officers of the National Guard, Officers Reserve Corps and Army of the United States for permanent commissions in the Regular Army.

These are the first appointments made under the Second Regular Army Integration Program. A second and much larger increment, probably about 13,000, will be selected in about three or four months, followed by a third late in the Summer.

The First Regular Army Integration Program, in 1946, resulted in the selection of approximately 9,800 officers in June and a supplementary 1,000 in Aug.

The new integration followed the plan used in the prior one. Newly-appointed officers who enter promotion list Arms or Services are placed on that list immediately below those officers of the same grade having the same or next greater period of service.

Those holding, or who upon separation held, higher temporary rank than the rank at which integrated into the Regular Army will continue in that temporary rank until reduced under the officer reduction program. Promotion to higher temporary grade is not checked by the integration program.

Integrated officers are entitled to travel allowance, as stated last week in the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL. All officers commissioned in the Regular Army are entitled to mileage at the rate of eight cents per mile for travel performed under orders from their home or place at which they are located at the time orders are received assigning them to their first duty station. An exception is when an officer is on terminal leave at the time he is called to active duty subsequent to being commissioned in the Regular Army. He is then entitled to mileage from the place at which he is located at the time of receiving orders recalling him to active duty to his new duty station not in excess of the cost from his old permanent station to the new permanent station and less any mileage allowance received at the time of going on terminal leave.

Newly-integrated officers called to active duty are entitled to transportation of dependents and shipment of household goods at Government expense within their authorized allowance from their home to their first duty station, or from the place at which their dependents and household goods are located at the time orders are received, not in excess of the cost from the home to the first duty station.

Those on terminal leave at the time commissioned in the Regular Army are also entitled to transportation of dependents and shipment of household goods. When called to active duty they are entitled to transportation and shipment from place where dependents and goods are located not in excess of the cost from last permanent duty station as Reserve, National Guard or AUS officers to the first permanent duty station to which assigned when commissioned in the Regular Army, less any allowance which may have been received for travel and shipment in connection with relief from active duty.

Newly appointed officers are reminded that the regular annual physical examination is not acceptable for Regular Army Appointment. Final type physical examinations will be required of all applicants with the exception of those screened since 1 Dec. 1946 before they will be considered physically qualified for appointment.

The Military District of Washington has urged officers and former officers in the Washington area to call Lt. Col. James E. Henderson, MDW Screening Center Chief, Republic 6700, Extension 6900, should further information be desired.

The list of those nominations for permanent Regular commissions follows:

The following-named officers of the Judge Advocate General's Department Reserve for appointment in the Regular Army of the United States, in the Judge Advocate General's Department in the grade specified, with dates of rank to be determined by the Secretary of War, under the provisions of section 24e of the National Defense Act, as amended:

TO BE CAPTAINS, JAGD

(Promotion List)

Milton Fischer
William G. Sitnek
Rodham C. Routledge
Richard J. Ballman
Waldemar A. Solf
Elmer S. Stephens
Clarence E. Ransick
John Barr
Lansing L. Mitchell
Carlisle C. Taylor
Donald T. Ruby
Edward L. Perry, jr.
Tom H. King
William W. Roberts, jr.
Wilmot T. Baughn

The following-named persons for appointment in the Regular Army of the United States, in the grade and arm or service specified, with dates of rank to be determined by the Secretary of War, under the provisions of an act of Congress approved 28 December 1945 (59 Stat 663), as amended by the act of 8 August 1946 (Public Law 670, Seventy-ninth Congress):

TO BE MAJORS

(Promotion List)

Philip S. Lauben, FA
Edward H. Farr, Inf.
Harold A. Buck, SC
Joseph C. Murphy, AGD
William H. P. Purdin, AGD
David D. Porter, JAG
Alexander Grendon, CAC
Francis J. Sullivan, Inf.
Audley H. F. Stephan, Fin.
John G. Ladd, CE
Abe M. Goff, JAG
W. H. Shurtleff, jr., QMC
Leon J. Livingston, QMC
Henry G. Gerdes, CE
Clifton C. Hill, Ord.
Randolph G. Norman, QMC
George A. Harvey, QMC
Franklin W. Reese, Inf.
Frederick S. Lee, Inf.
Clifford V. Oje, Inf.
Cecil G. Wheeler, CE
Elmer G. Brown, Fin.
Henry W. Zinnel, QMC
John W. Trone, AGD
Rene O. Quenneville, CE
Lawrence W. Byers, CAC
Benjamin F. Modisett, QMC
Ralph B. Cummings, CML
Theodore F. Straub, Ord.
Roy H. Hall, Fin.
Ronald F. Wilson, AC
Robt. J. Knight, jr., Ord.
Preston B. Mayson, AGD
Leo I. Herman, AGD
John T. Dawson, QMC
Albert G. Foote, AC
Claudius O. Wolfe, JAG
Hugh D. McGaw, CE
John J. Madigan, jr., Fin.
Alfred G. Texley, QMC
Leroy H. Barnard, Inf.
Harold R. Stadfield, JAG
Howard R. Whipple, JAG
John F. Carter, AC
Frederick S. Stratton, Fin.
Richard E. Reichmann, JAG
Chas. F. Reed, JAG
Laurel L. Chambers, JAG
Russell B. Fontaine, Ord.
Harold F. McDonnell, JAG
Robt. M. Mann, QMC
Charles L. Reed, jr., Ord.
Kenneth I. Davis, SC
Francis A. Kreidel, Inf.
John B. Medaris, Ord.
Melville F. Noyes, AGD
James P. Maloney, CAC
Forest S. Rittgers, Inf
Wm. D. Collar, QMC
Lowell A. Yost, QMC
Ernest L. Stockton, CE
William O. Moore, AC
Hampton R. Kenaston, JAG
Robert D. Hodge, QMC
Chester D. Silvers, JAG
Carnig Kay, QMC
Keefe Okeefe, JAG
Carl M. Patterson, JAG
Ralph M. Lockhart, SC
Frank H. Mathews, SC
Samuel Shulits, CE
Charles F. Felstead, SC
Charles P. Light, jr., JAG
Hugh Everett, jr., QMC
Lawrence D. Bell, JAG
Bradford T. Schantz, AGD
Ruel R. Neiger, QMC
A. D. Brittingham, jr., Ord.
William V. Harber, Ord.
Richard F. Ebbs, CE
Roy H. Winters, Ord.
Moody R. Tidwell, jr., Fin.
Krit G. Logsdon, AC
John N. Dick, CML
Vernon R. Johnson, QMC
Terence J. Smith, AGD
Lunsford C. Pittman, QMC
John L. Wilson, jr., CE
William S. Moore, jr., Fin.
Elmer C. Gault, AGD
George F. Biles, Fin.
James F. Hanley, JAG
George O. Pearson, Inf.
Frederick M. Warren, Cav.
Jonathan H. Michael, QMC
Jewell H. Cook, QMC
Herbert W. Wurtzler, Ord.
Cooper B. Rhodes, JAG
John E. Stewart, Fin.
Harry B. Emigh, Inf.
Fredk. W. W. Reese, Fin.
Julian S. Albergotti, CAC
Clarence E. Read, Inf.
Thayer Chapman, JAG
Earnest D. Merrill, AGD
William C. Golden, AGD
Keith H. Barber, Inf.
Thomas A. Pitcher, SC
James K. Kneussl, JAG
Carlton G. Schenken, JAG
A. N. Slocum, jr., FA
John C. Light, Ord.
William C. Shakel, QMC
William H. B. Howard, CML
Hugh L. Quarles, QMC
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Clarence B. Barron, AGD
Ellwood W. Sargent, JAG
Alan W. Hall, AGD
Paul Hayne, jr., Fin.
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Franklin H. Berry, JAG
John M. Stark, Ord.
Myer Fried, QMC
Donald R. Patterson, AGD
Richard F. Hill, CE
Willie H. H. Jones, JAG
Ivan L. Brenneman, QMC
William D. Jackson, QMC
Orville A. Lesley, Fin.
Maurice C. Higgins, Inf.
Howard A. Moody, AC
Angel F. Bruno, Inf.
Walter J. Mearls, SC
Walter E. Sewell, Inf.
Glenn P. Nell, AC

TO BE CAPTAINS

Vardell E. Nesmith, AGD
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Russel O. Harris, Inf.
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Haroldo T. Loftin, Inf.
Kelly L. Brazier, Fin.
Abram L. Whipple, jr. JAG
Howard H. Hasting, JAG
Harold D. Shrader, JAG
Frank G. Wise, QMC
James E. Reilly, CML
Robert S. Drake, SC
Clarence O. Gilly, QMC
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Edwin B. Green, CE
Maurice A. Peerenboom, CML
Robert B. Wilson, Ord.
Frank L. Hickisch, AGD
Robert F. Wilson, SC
Carl P. Schneider, Ord
George B. Sumner, CE
Jasper L. Searles, JAG
Harold P. Dixon, AC
Hugh A. Vest, SC
Robert H. Paddock, CE
William S Shoemaker, CE
Kenneth H. Tando, Fin.
Charles D. McDaniel, CE
Carl Djuvik, QMC
Michael N. W. McCoy, AC
Albert Chandler, QMC
John E. Oliver, QMC
Cesareo Reguera, Fin.
Philmore L. Moen, SC
Walter R. Graalman, JAG
Herbert F. Farmer, QMC
Alfred E. Kardos, QMC
Ralph P. St. John, QMC
John J. Healy, Inf.
Stanley A. Kretlow, SC
Robert N. Smith, CE
Ernest B. Skinner, JAG
David W. Bowman, SC
Wallace H. Dawson, jr., Ord.
Gerard B. Crook, JAG
John J. Livingston, CE
George J. Mason, CE
Robert E. Gambrill, AGD
Ralph W. White, SC
Carlton V. Bingham, QMC
William C. Hoffman, AGD
Harley A. Lanning, JAG
Loren W. Olmstead, CE
Edwin A. Bedell, CE
Francis J. Brophy, SC
Hammond F. Henderson, CE
Richard Lowry, QMC
Paul L. Doerr, Inf.
Edmund L. Dlugensky, Fin.
Vernon M. Blum, Ord.
Lyal C. Metheny, FA
Irwin M. Diamond, QMC
Frank F. Wilkins, FA
Theodore B. Tufte, QMC
Clare Passink, QMC
Frederic N. Eichorn, Ord.
Henry A. Keller, SC
Sam G. Lucy, QMC
Loren Cornell, AC
William A. Somerby, jr., AC
Lynn C. Barnes, CE
Raymond D. Robinson, AC
Winton H. Loveless, SC
Dale M. King, FA
Harry E. Burcher, CE
Robert G. Van Ness, Ord.
Clarence J. Murphy, Ord.

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Horace V. Noland, AGD
John W. Mann, AGD
Charles E. Bockman, jr., AC
Stanley J. Biscoe, QMC
William W. Sullivan, CE
Leon D. Marsh, AGD
Arthur Kent, AGD
Cecil M. Drury, QMC
Francis E. Houghton, QMC
Kenneth O. Schellberg, QMC
Martin K. Boger, AC
James E. McHugh, CML
John M. McKeague, QMC
Earl H. Marsden, CE
Thomas A. Weadock, QMC
Thomas J. Brascher, AGD
George L. Atwood, CAC
Richard O. Brown, Fin.
Oscar T. Hammerness, Inf.
Svend W. Nielsen, CE
Henry C. Urquhart, JAG
Ralph H. Hatfield, QMC
Kurt N. Heyne, Inf.
Lobdell P. Brown, Inf.
Adolph Barnaby, QMC
Herndon H. Long, AGD
Frank G. Tandy, CAC
Fred C. Taylor, Inf.
Clyde O. Taylor, SC
Lewis Voiers, QMC
Francis L. Mayer, SC
Wayne W. Brame, Inf.
Edward C. White, SC
Robert M. Gant, AGD
William A. Stephens, QMC
Ralph R. Burr, QMC
Horace N. Elkins, jr., Fin.
Hugh J. Socks, AGD
Harlan M. Nelson, QMC
Herbert W. Cooley, SC
F. J. Le Penske, jr., QMC
Washington H. Brown, JAG
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SERVICE SOCIAL NEWS

THE Assistant Secretary of War for Air and Mrs. W. Stuart Symington, 3d, and Rear Admiral and Mrs. Joseph F. Farley were Service folk in the dinner company entertained Tuesday evening at the White House when the President and Mrs. Truman revived the official dinner for the Vice President. As there is no Vice President, Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg, President pro-tem of the Senate and Mrs. Vandenberg were the guests honored.

The Chief of Staff, General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower and Mrs. Eisenhower were guests of honor at the weekly luncheon of the members of the Women's National Press Club Monday, at which General Eisenhower spoke. Some of those at the head table with General and Mrs. Eisenhower were Mrs. John Nicholas Brown, wife of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Air, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Floyd Parks, Lt. Gen. and Mrs. J. Lawton Collins, Col. Westray Battle Boyce, director of the WACS, Maj. C. Craig Cannon, aide to General Eisenhower and officers of the club including Mrs. Alice Rogers Hager, president of the club.

The Secretary of War and Mrs. Patterson entertained a small company at dinner Thursday evening in compliment to Brig. Gen. Maurice Hirsch and his bride, the former Mrs. Robert Wesley Busby, who were married 25 Jan., with Maj. Gen. Luther D. Miller, Chief of Chaplains performing the ceremony at the Fort Myer Chapel.

Secretary Patterson was best man and ushers included Cols. W. E. Harrington, G. Benedum, William H. Coulson and Lt. Col. Julius Bloch jr., a nephew of Gen. Hirsch.

The Assistant Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. W. John Kenney and General and Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower were among the guests invited to the reception at the Shoreham.

Mrs. Patterson attended on Thursday the testimonial meeting and presentation of scroll to Mrs. Smith Hempstone, wife of Captain Hempstone, USN, out-going president of the Soldiers, Sailors and Marines Club, and the inaugurating of her successor, Mrs. William H. Arnold, wife of Maj. Gen. Arnold.

Mrs. Chester W. Nimitz, wife of Chief of Naval Operations, was hostess at a meeting followed by tea at their quarters on Observatory Hill, she being active chairman of the navy committee of the National Symphony Orchestra whose drive for funds is now in progress. Wives of heads of Navy Bureaus were present, as was also Mrs. Forrestal.

Mrs. Norman B. Simmonds and her four children have moved into their recently purchased home at 84 Oldham Ave., Needham, Mass.

Col. and Mrs. Thos. A. Clark are now living at 714 Kingman Ave., Santa Monica, Calif.

The Officers Club of the Army War College will be en fete tonight when the Junior Army and Navy Cotillion is held, the third of a series of dances sponsored by members of the West Point class of 1924 for the younger group in local Service circles. It will be a colorful party with Valentine motifs featuring the decorations and favors. The receiving line will be headed by Col. and Mrs. Charles F. Summerall jr., and will include Capt. Donald R. Osborn, USN, and Mrs. Osborn, Col. and Mrs. James G. Anding, Mrs. Elizabeth Henney, daughter of Maj. Gen. Amos Fries, and Lt. and Mrs. Gerald J. Sullivan. Among the junior hosts will be the Misses Betty and Emily Arnold, debutante daughters of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. William H. Arnold, Elizabeth Wood and Donald and Fred Henney.

The monthly luncheon of the Retired Officers Club of Clearwater, Fla., was held at the Yacht Club Friday, 19 Jan.

The speaker was Capt. H. J. Abbett, USN, who told of the operation of the fire fighting school in San Diego, Calif.

Other special guests were Col. E. W. Wilson, USA, Capt. W. C. Kiernan, USA, and L. G. Abbett.

Garbed in Philippine costumes, these ladies served guests at a party given by General Jonathan M. Wainwright, Fourth Army commander, at Fort Sam Houston, 19 Jan., for former Japanese prisoners of war. The ladies dished out rice with cups and gave the guests soup-a-la-prison-camp in galvanized iron buckets. Roast turkey and duck followed. They are, left to right: Mrs. Arnold J. Funk, wife of Brig. Gen. Arnold J. Funk, deputy post commander, Fort Sam Houston; Miss Jerry Sledge, San Antonio, sister of Col. T. J. Sledge; Mrs. Lewis C. Beebe, wife of Brig. Gen. Lewis C. Beebe, Fourth Army chief of staff; Mrs. H. W. Glattly, Washington, D. C., wife of Col. H. W. Glattly; and Mrs. Jym Wheat, Bandera, Tex.

Members attending were:

Capt. H. J. Abbett, USN; Col. L. Barnett, USA; Capt. J. T. Baugh, MC; Gen. E. Butcher, USA; Comdr. J. A. Clark, USN; Comdr. F. J. Comerford, USN; Lt. Col. G. P. Cummings, USA; Gen. G. H. Estes, USA; Col. P. Freeman, USA; Gen. L. D. Gasser, USA; Maj. A. M. Griffin, USA; Capt. G. Goodyear, USA; Col. H. Head, USA; Lt. Col. C. E. Howe, USA; Col. D. Hughes, USA; Lt. C. E. Jones, USN; Col. C. R. Lloyd, USA; Col. W. F. Milice, USA; Maj. H. Morrison, USA; Maj. G. H. Mulligan, USA; Col. E. J. Oliver, USA; Col. H. M. Preston, USA; Lt. Comdr. E. H. Roach, USN; Lt. M. R. Roberts, USN; Maj. F. Robbins, USA; Maj. L. E. Sharron, USA; Comdr. E. H. Smith, USN; Gen. A. Stark, USA; Col. E. K. Sterling, USA; Lt. Comdr. K. P. A. Taylor, USN; Capt. L. F. Thibault, USN; Col. J. M. Thompson, USA; Adm. H. Train, USN; Gen. D. Van Voohris, USA; Col. E. White, USA; Col. C. A. Hunt, USA; Lt. Col. J. P. Fucsh, USMC.

Mrs. Eisenhower, wife of the Chief of Staff, General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower, attended the First National Specialty Boxer Show of the Potomac Boxer Club held in the Ft. Myer Riding Hall, 31 Jan.

Among those attending were:

Secretary of War and Mrs. Patterson, Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Air and Mrs. Brown, Commandant of the Marine Corps, General A. A. Vandegrift and Mrs. Vandegrift; Vice Admiral and Mrs. Edward L. Cochrane; Lt. Gen. and Mrs. J. Lawton Collins; Rear Adm. and Mrs. Merlin O'Neill, U. S. C. G.; Rear Adm. and Mrs. James Foskett and their daughters; Brig. Gen. and Mrs. C. B. Ferenbaugh, and Brig. General E. A. Evans and Mrs. Evans.

Mrs. McCook Knox will entertain at tea this afternoon the Jangos and prizes will be awarded those who sold the most tickets for the show.

Weddings and Engagements

SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER CHURCH in Kyoto was the scene of the wedding of Miss Mary Gibbons Yancey, daughter of Col. William Burbridge Yancey, commanding officer of the 19th Infantry Regiment, and Mrs. Yancey, and Capt. Henry Frederick Grimm, son of Col. and Mrs. H. F. Grimm, on Thursday, 26 Dec.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white silk, with a drop-shoulder neckline and yoke of white net, and a finger-tip veil held with a coronet of orange blossoms. Her pearl necklace was a gift of the bridegroom, and she carried a bouquet of white sweet peas, carnations, and orchids.

Miss Anne Yancey, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor. Capt. R. S. Beightler, jr., was best man and the ushers were Capt. D. W. Hoadley, Capt. John White, Capt. H. R. Cook, Capt. H. W. Moore, Lt. F. L. Ingham, and Lt. J. P. McCarrick.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in Miyako Hotel. Among the out-of-town guests were Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Charles L. Mullins, jr., Brig. Gen. and Mrs. William H. Colbern, and Col. and Mrs. George C. Mergens.

Mrs. Grimm was graduated from the Rex Hospital School of Nursing of Raleigh, N. C., in 1945, and served with the Woodrow Wilson General Hospital of Staunton, Va.

Captain Grimm was graduated from the Virginia Polytechnic Institute in 1941, and from the U. S. Military Academy in January, 1943. He served overseas with the 771st Anti-Aircraft Gun Battalion and with the 98th Division, and is at present with Headquarters 1 Corps. The couple is making a honeymoon trip to Nikko.

Mrs. Reuben D. Rogers of Howard County, Md., has announced the engagement of her daughter, Ann Rogers Bridupke, to Capt. John Frederick Davidson, USN, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry A. Davidson of Warren, Pa.

Captain Davidson is now attached to the Bureau of Naval Personnel in Washington.

The wedding will take place in the Spring.

Capt. Earl Richard Morrissey, USN, and Mrs. Morrissey announce the engagement of their daughter, Amy Hadfield Morrissey, to Lt. Comdr. William Eells Betzer, USN. Miss Morrissey is a graduate of Hollins College, Roanoke, Va. Commander Betzer was graduated from the U. S. Naval Academy in the class of 1942 and is now a post-graduate student at Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He is the son of Comdr. William C. Betzer, USN, and Mrs. Betzer of Cambridge, Mass. The wedding will be in December.

Commo. and Mrs. Penn L. Carroll of 86 Washington Street, Newport, R. I., announce the engagement of their daughter, Katharine Tompkins Carroll, to Lt. Kenneth Carroll Wallace, USN, son of Capt. and Mrs. Kenneth R. R. Wallace of Coronado, Calif. Miss Carroll was graduated from Brent School, Baguio, Philippine Islands, and from Ogontz Junior College. She served overseas with the American Red Cross. Lieutenant Wallace is a graduate of the U. S. Naval Academy Class of 1943 and is now attached to the USS Bordelon.

Col. and Mrs. LeRoy Welling Nichols announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Josephine Elizabeth (Dodie) Nichols, to Maj. Robert Reed Pedlow, jr., U. S. Army Reserve, the marriage to take place 20 Feb. at Fort McPherson chapel with Chaplain Orville E. Fisher and Chaplain Ralph W. Rogers officiating.

Miss Nichols' mother is the former Miss Winifred Martin, daughter of the late Brig. Gen. and Mrs. William F. Martin. She is the sister of Miss Beverly Anne Nichols and Roy Nichols, a student at Sullivans' School, Washington. D. C.

Miss Nichols was graduated from Sullins College, Bristol, Va., and attended Sophie Newcomb College, New Orleans. She is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha fraternity, the Glee club, Art club and Tulane University theater. She was a member of the 1943-44 Debutante Club at Atlanta.

Major Pedlow, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed Pedlow, of Lawrence, Mass., was graduated from Lawrence high school and attended the McIntyre School of Business Administration, Boston, and Northeastern University. He served two years as an administrative officer in the Fifth Convalescent Hospital, activated at Fort McPherson and two years in the Asiatic-Pacific theater. For the past year he has been stationed at various general hospitals in this country and is at present employed by the Hospital Operation Division of the Veterans Administration Branch office, Marietta, Ga.

The ceremony will be solemnized at 8:30 P.M., followed by a reception at the Officers' Club.

Miss Nichols' only attendant will be her sister, Miss Beverly Anne Nichols, as maid of honor. The best man will be Maj. Russell Fairbanks, Aide-de-Camp to Lt. Gen. Oscar Griswold.

Mrs. Valentine Nicholas Bieg, Bryn Mawr, Pa., announces the engagement of her daughter, Mrs. Lovel Bieg Lees to Mr. Peter Denniston Kimball, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Denniston Kimball, Germantown, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Lees is the daughter of the late Lt. Comdr Valentine N. Bieg, USN, formerly of Alexandria, Va. She was graduated from the Shipley School and made her debut in 1939.

Mr. Kimball was graduated from the William Penn Charter School in 1936 and from Princeton University in 1940. He was recently discharged from the Naval Reserve with the rank of Lieutenant Commander after serving four years in the Pacific Theatre.

Miss Jean Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Brown, was married to Edward Sarnoff, son of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. David Sarnoff, ORC, of New York, 26 January in the home of her parents at Scarsdale, N. Y., by the Rev. Dr. Jonah B. Wise.

The bride wore an afternoon dress of blue-gray silk, made with inserts of lace, and a wreath of pink and blue flowers in her hair. She carried white orchids.

Mrs. Sarnoff was graduated from the Ethical Culture, Fieldston and Katharine Gibbs Schools. Her husband, an alumnus of Phillips Academy in Andover, Mass., and Brown University, did post-graduate work at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and Harvard University.

During the war he served in the Pacific with the Army Signal Corps, reaching the rank of captain. Late in the conflict, he was stationed at General of the Army Douglas MacArthur's headquarters in the Philippines and in Japan.

Since his release from the Army, Mr. Sarnoff, whose father is president of the Radio Corporation of America, has been with the technical department of the American Broadcasting Company. He is a member of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, the American Institute of Military Engineers and the Brown University Engineering Society.

After a wedding trip to Florida, the couple will make their home in Hartford, Conn.

Thursday, 16 Jan., in St. Alban's Episcopal Church, Columbus, Ohio, Miss Mary York was married to Lt. Charles Richard Gorder. The Rev. Robert E. Leake officiated at the 4:30 o'clock ceremony.

Mrs. Gorder is the daughter of Col. and Mrs. Robert E. York, chief engineer supply officer at the Columbus General Depot, and Lt. Gorder is the son of Gen. and Mrs. A. O. Gorder of Little Rock, Ark. General Gorder is with the Army Retirement Board in Washington.

The lovely brunette bride, who arrived only recently from New York City to make her wedding arrangements, chose for her marriage a dress of white satin, ornamented with a marquisette yoke, outlined in glistening sequins. Features of the dress were a modified bustle back and tightly gathered sleeves. She wore a finger-tip veil, held in place by a cluster of orange blossoms from her mother's wedding veil. She carried a shower bouquet of stephanotis and carnations.

Miss Barbara York, the bride's sister, attended her as maid of honor. Two junior bridesmaids were Miss Marcia Newman and Miss Joanna March.

Lt. Robert Gorder was best man for his brother and ushers were Col. J. J. A. Proude, Col. John Davis, Capt. Gordon Haring and Lt. John DeSanctis.

Following the wedding there was a large reception at the officers' club of the Depot.

The bride attended William and Mary College, and prior to her marriage was a singer in New York City. Lt. Gorder attended Columbia University and graduated from West Point in 1945. He is located at present at Daggendorf, Bavaria, Germany, where the couple will live.

A marriage of interest took place on Saturday, 30 November, in Falmouth, Mass., when Miss Nancy Noyes Friar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Friar of Falmouth became the bride of Mr. Henry Crampton Jones, jr., son of Col. and Mrs. H. Crampton Jones.

The bride wore cream satin, made with a sweetheart neckline, long bodice and

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Posts and Stations

WEST POINT, N. Y.
27 Jan. 1947

The first of the Winter Concert Series by the U. S. Military Band was presented at the War Department Theatre here last Sunday before a large and enthusiastic audience. The Band, under the direction of Capt. Francis E. Resta, presented selections from the works of Wagner, Bach, Tschaikowsky, Franck, and Ravel. Two of Sousa's marches were given as encores. The guest soloist was the celebrated young violinist, Ruggiero Ricci, who played with seemingly effortless dexterity the Violin Concerto No. 1 in D Major, by Micolo Paganini, which had been transcribed for band accompaniment by Captain Resta for this concert.

Patrick McGarry, 17-year-old winner in the nationwide American History Competition sponsored by the Hearst Newspapers, visited the Military Academy 22 Jan. as the guest of the Superintendent, Maj. Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor.

Recent visitors from Brazil to the Military Academy include three Brazilian Army officers, Lt. Col. Avdios, Major Abreu, and Captain Basto, who were here last Friday, and Mrs. Modesta Carney, Professor of English, School of Aeronautics, in Rio de Janeiro. Mrs. Carney visited here, accompanied by Lt. Col. Eugene Prince of First Army. All expressed particular interest in the Department of Modern Languages at the Academy.

The funeral of the late Second Lieutenant Joseph L. Smith, Air Corps, whose death occurred on 25 Oct. 1946 in the Philippine Islands was held from the Old Cadet Chapel here, 17 Jan, with burial in the Post Cemetery. Major (CH) Ralph H. Pugh, USA, Post Chaplain, conducted the chapel and committal services. Lieutenant Smith was a graduate of the Military Academy, Class of 1945, and is survived by his widow, residing at 1102 Baker Street, Menkato, Minn.

On Saturday, 18 Jan., the funeral of the late Lt. Gen. Daniel I. Sultan, USA, Inspector General of the Army, whose death occurred in Washington, D. C. on the 14th, was held from the Old Cadet Chapel, with chapel and committal services conducted by Chaplain Pugh. Burial was in the Post Cemetery.

The West Point Debating Society was awarded the judges' decision in the debate with Princeton University Saturday evening. Cadets J. F. McArdle and R. A. Mackenzie, Third Classmen, defended the affirmative of the proposition "Resolved: That the United Nations should invoke sanctions against the Spanish Government." Maj. L. J. Legere, jr., is Officer-in-Charge of the West Point Debating Society.

ANNAPOLIS, MD.
28 Jan. 1947

Rear Adm. and Mrs. James L. Holloway, jr., will be "at home" informally to their friends each Sunday afternoon from 4:30 to 6:30 at the Superintendent's quarters, Naval Academy.

Capt. and Mrs. Albert C. Murdaugh, who will soon leave Annapolis, were guests of honor at a progressive dinner last Saturday night. The party started with cocktails at the home of Comdr. and Mrs. Richard Kane and from there to Capt. and Mrs. Charles T. Singleton, jr., for the salad course. Capt. and Mrs. John Melgaard and Capt. and Mrs. Ephraim were hosts for the entree, after which they went to the home of Capt. and Mrs. John E. Fradd for dessert. Coffee and cordials were served at the home of Capt. and Mrs. Herman A. Spanagel.

Comdr. and Mrs. John Urquhart who are now living in Chevy Chase, spent the weekend as guests of Capt. and Mrs. John H. Griffen of Hanover St.

Mrs. Richard Leary, wife of Lt. Col. Leary of Newport, R. I., and their son are visiting Mrs. Leary's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Lazenby of Randall Place.

HAWAIIAN AIR MATERIEL AREA
Hickam Field, T. H.
21 Jan. 1947

Three new chiefs of the Hawaiian Air Materiel Area were guests of honor Friday evening, for the first of a series of off-hour parties to be held each month by the 21 officers of the HAMA Supply Division.

Col. Thomas H. Chapman, new commanding officer, and Col. Lee Q. Wasser, assistant commanding officer, and Col. James A. DeMarco, new chief of base services, were the key personnel introduced unofficially to the supply division officers and their ladies at the Ala Wai Officers' Club at Waikiki, where they enjoyed cocktails, a steak dinner and dancing.

Others attending were Lt. Col. Arthur Hanson, supply chief, and Mrs. Hanson; Maj. and Mrs. Charles Harrison, Maj. and Mrs. Elaine K. Coburn, Maj. and Mrs. Paul J. Canty, Maj. and Mrs. A. V. Hurd, Maj. and Mrs. Herbert Lo.

Capt. and Mrs. Hugh Wade, Capt. and Mrs. Richard Lee, Capt. and Mrs. Edward D. Duncan, Capt. and Mrs. Carter Detwiler, Capt. and Mrs. Thomas F. Halligan, Lt. and Mrs. Kirby C. Penn, Lt. and Mrs. J. J. Tirone, Lt. and Mrs. Arthur Coffland, Lt. and Mrs. J. F. Kimbrell, Lt. William Kirkman, WOJG Leo B. Roach, and WOJG and Mrs. Vance Decoster.

FT. LEAVENWORTH, KANS.
27 Jan. 1947

The Pan-Hellenic Society of Fort Leavenworth held its regular monthly luncheon at the Officers' Golf Club 22 Jan. The hostesses for the day were Mrs. Daniel H. Hundley and Mrs. Robert C. Erlenbusch. About thirty-two members were present at the luncheon, including six guests from the Leavenworth Chapter. Bridge was enjoyed in the lounge after the luncheon.

Mrs. William H. Bache, from Sarasota, Fla., who is visiting Lt. Col. and Mrs. Noel H. Cox on the Post, was the guest of honor at a reception and tea, given at the Hunt Lodge 26 Jan. by Lt. Col. and Mrs. Cox and Lt. Col. and Mrs. John N. Schoville.

Lt. Gen. Maurice N. Mathenet, Military Attache, France, and Col. A. J. P. Le Bel, Assistant Military Attache, France, visited Fort Leavenworth and the Command and Staff College 27-30 Jan. On Tuesday General Mathenet and Colonel Le Bel were dinner guests of Maj. Gen. William H. Dean, Assistant Commandant of the Command and Staff College, and Mrs. Dean, at their quarters. Other guests included Brig. Gen. Edwin C. Cook, from the Inspector Generals' Office, who is also visiting the Post; Maj. Roger Leguay and Capt. Roland de Mecquenem, both of the French Army, currently students at the Command and Staff College, and Mrs. Leguay. On Wednesday, 29 Jan., General Mathenet and Colonel Le Bel were luncheon guests of Lt. Gen. and Mrs. Leonard T. Gerow. General Gerow, Commandant of the Command and Staff College, returned Tuesday from a visit to Washington.

NORFOLK, VA.
30 Jan. 1947

Members of the U. S. Naval Academy Class of 1924, stationed in this vicinity, entertained Friday night at a dinner dance given at the Breezy Point Club, Naval Air Station. Those attending were: Capt. and Mrs. Charles A. Ferriter, Capt. and Mrs. John M. Kennedy, Capt. and Mrs. Harold H. Timeroth, Capt. and Mrs. William V. Davis, jr., Capt. and Mrs. Joseph Wolowsky, Capt. and Mrs. Jose M. Cabanillas, Capt. and Mrs. Homer B. Wheeler, Colonel and Mrs. Strother, Capt. Edward L. Woodyard, Capt. R. F. Mills, Capt. Donald Ramsey, Capt. Thomas Huckins, Capt. Merle A. Sawyer, Capt. and Mrs. Lee Herring, and Capt. and Mrs. Elton C. Parker.

Mrs. Alexander S. Wadsworth, 3rd, was hostess Thursday at a luncheon given in the Williamsburg room of the Officers' Club, Norfolk Naval Station, in honor of Miss Sunshine Byrd Trumbo, whose marriage to Rolf Williams will take place 1 Feb.

Mrs. Richard Crommelin was hostess Tuesday at a luncheon given in the Commissioned Officers' Club, Norfolk Naval Station, in honor of Miss Jeanne French Eager, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Howard Eager, whose marriage to James Tyler Morgan of Augusta, Georgia, took place Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cochrane Morrow, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Irvona Morrow, to Lt. Comdr. Daniel Arundell, jr., USN, son of Mrs. Elizabeth F. Arundell, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and the late David Arundell.

HQ. PANAMA CANAL DEPARTMENT
20 Jan. 1947

The first military class to be confirmed by the Rt. Rev. R. Heber Gooden, Bishop of the Military District, Panama Canal Zone, since he was consecrated as missionary of the District, received the Apostolic Rite of Confirmation in services held at the Post Chapel, Ft. Clayton, Canal Zone, recently.

The services were held under the direction of Lt. Col. Kenneth M. Sowers, Department Chaplain. T. Sgt. James N. Hutchinson served as Bishop's acolyte and music was furnished by the choir of the Cathedral of St. Luke, with Staff Sergeant Sterling C. Marshall at the organ.

Those receiving confirmation were: Miss Jane Virginia Butler, Lt. Col. John C. Habecker, Mrs. Ann Adams Habecker; Lt. Col. Francis C. Hood, Mrs. Shirley Elaine Hood, Miss Miriam Beall Kilgore, Col. David McCoach III, Mrs. Rosemary McCoach, Miss Penelope Anne Mielenz, Mrs. Eva James Moore, Mrs. Lorraine S. Spaulding, Mrs. Genevieve Stuart, Marian Alicia Dayhuff, Robert Allen Dey, Margaret Rives King, and Alfred Maria Koster.

CAMP CAMPBELL, KY.
27 Jan. 1947

An Army Advisory Committee, composed of public spirited leaders interested in adequate National Defense and desirous in assisting the War Department in its Public Relations and in promoting the activities in which the U. S. Army is engaged, on a community and state level, has been formed in the City of Clarksville, Tenn.

Local Municipal Army Advisory Committees are formed in cities and communities wherever an Army activity is located. These committees usually consist of the local Mayor, President of the Chamber of Commerce, Veteran Organizations Commanders, a well known Reserve or National Guard Officer, a public school or university official and other public spirited citizens.

The Clarksville Army Advisory Committee is headed by Mayor William Kleeman of Clarksville, who scheduled the first meeting of the committee on January 23, 1947 at the club house on his private farm. Mayor Kleeman provided a steak dinner in honor of the new committee. Attending the meeting was Maj. Gen. Jens A. Doe, Commanding General of Camp Campbell, Kentucky, and several members of his staff.

THE INFANTRY CENTER
Fort Benning, Ga.
25 Jan. 1947

General Wei Li-Huang, Chinese Army and Mrs. Wei Li-Huang visited The Infantry Center from Wednesday through Saturday and were entertained at an official dinner party at the Officers' Club at which Maj. Gen. John W. O'Daniel, was host. Included in General Wei Li-Huang's entourage were Col. David D. Barrett, USA, Maj. Joseph Lowe, Chinese Army, Mr. Chung-An-Min and Miss Eleanor Breed.

Mrs. John Dabney, of washington, D. C., visited the post as the guest of Col. and Mrs. Robert L. Dulaney and of Lt. Col. and Mrs. O. O. Wilson.

Mrs. Bruce Magruder and Miss Susan Magruder were guests at Fort Benning for several days last week.

Lt. Col. John H. Van Vliet, jr., and Mrs. Jack Barton of Lincoln, Neb., were married 12 Jan. in the Presbyterian Church, Lincoln, Nebr. They have returned to Fort Benning and are assigned quarters at 406 1st Division Road. Mrs. Van Vliet is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Samelson of Hartington, Nebr. Colonel Van Vliet, currently on duty with the Communications Section, TIS, is the son of Col. John H. Van Vliet, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.

Col. and Mrs. J. G. Hannah, (Ret.), and Mrs. Marian Burt were hosts at a cocktail party Thursday at the Officers' Club in honor of Brig. Gen. Ralph Goldthwaite, who visited for a few days at the Officers' Club.

Ladies of the Communications Section, TIS, held their monthly luncheon meeting Friday at the Officers' Club. Hostess was Mrs. R. E. Phelps. Mrs. John H. Van Vliet and Mrs. John F. Gerstner were guests of honor. Present were Mrs. Brookner W. Brady, Mrs. Clifford Woodliffe, Mrs. Daniel C. Bird, Mrs. Samuel J. Adams, Mrs. Louis W. Conway, Mrs. Ivan G. Phillips, Mrs. George I. Kealey, Mrs. Arn L. Millican, Mrs. Allen Swaim, Mrs. John Hammond, Mrs. Newsberry, Mrs. Flecher, Mrs. Gjettrup and Mrs. Norman Hobbs.

ANDREWS FIELD, D. C.
27 Jan. 1947

The January Formal Dance at the new Andrews Field Officers' Club was a merry occasion attended by the Field's notables, last night.

Ranking guests were Col. and Mrs. C. D. Sluman, Col. and Mrs. William A. Adams, Col. and Mrs. Harris F. Scherer, Lt. Col. and Mrs. J. L. Brause, Lt. Col. and Mrs. R. E. Woodruff, Lt. Col. Noel Cumban, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Frank O'Brien, and a host of others.

Preceding the dance, a unique cocktail party was conducted by Andrews Field's three leading bachelor officers, in their quarters, for about 100 married guests. The hosts were Lt. Col. Lloyd P. Carlos, Lt. Col. Frank J. McGlynn, and Maj. J. M. Gulick.

Among the guests were Lt. Col. and Mrs. Samuel Crosthwait, Maj. and Mrs. Clay Albright, Maj. and Mrs. Thomas Spurgin, Maj. and Mrs. Gilbert N. Rhees, Maj. and Mrs. Bruce H. Bennett, Maj. and Mrs. Donald S Andrews, Maj. and Mrs. Frank R. Henry, Maj. and Mrs. Cadman V. Padgett, Capt. and Mrs. Frank S. Guiner and Capt. and Mrs. Raymond E. Zelenka.

Hors d'oerves and canapes were served in buffet fashion, and the guests were entertained by Mr. Granel at the piano.

CAMP LEE, VA.
27 Jan. 1947

Eighteen officers of four foreign countries were guests of Brig. Gen. Roy C. L. Graham, Camp Lee Commanding General, and Col. A. N. Stubblebine, Commandant of The Quartermaster School, 24 Jan., at a cocktail party and dinner at the Officers' Recreational Center at Lee.

The officers, representing England, Mexico, China and the Philippines, are attending officer courses at The Quartermaster School.

Mrs. Henry Flack, daughter of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Roy C. L. Graham, returned to Camp Lee, 21 Jan., after a 30-day wedding trip. Her marriage to Lieutenant Flack took place at a formal military ceremony at Camp Lee Chapel No. 1 21 Dec.

The couple visited New England and proceeded to the West Coast where Lieutenant Flack left for duty in Japan. Mrs. Flack will remain with her parents here at Lee until she receives orders to join her husband overseas.

FORT SAM HOUSTON, TEX.
25 Jan. 1947

A 19-gun salute, fired by three 105mm. howitzers of the 14th Armored Field Artillery Bn. of the Second Armored Division from Camp Hood, honored a large group of Mexican dignitaries, headed by Senor Ramon Beteta, Mexico's minister of finance, when they visited the historic Quadrangle here this morning and were received by General Jonathan M. Wainwright, Fourth Army commander and hero of Corregidor and Bataan.

Escorted by State Highway Patrolmen, the group arrived by motor from Austin, where they attended the inauguration of Gov. Beauford H. Jester, earlier in the week.

The visitors were met by General Wainwright, Brig. Gen. Arnold J. Funk, Fort Sam Houston deputy post commander; Brig. Gen. J. R. Sheets, Fourth Army G-2; Brig. Gen. E. A. Zundel, Fourth Army Artillery officer; Col. E. T. Williams, Fourth Army deputy chief of staff, and others.

Four ruffles and flourishes began the formal ceremony, the howitzers fired once every five seconds, and the 365th AGF Band, under the direction of Chief Warrant Officer W. A. Mobley, played the Mexican National Anthem.' This was followed by the Star Spangled Banner.

ANTILLES DEPARTMENT
17 Jan. 1947

Lt. Gen. Willis D. Crittenberger, chief of the Caribbean Defense Command, accompanied by Maj. Gen. Hubert R. Harmon, head of the Caribbean Air Command, and Brig. Gen. Lemuel Mathewson, CDC chief of staff, arrived in San Juan 7 Jan. to inspect military bases in Puerto Rico and meet Gen. Salvador Cesar Obino, commander of Brazilian Army, Navy and Air Forces, who stopped in Puerto Rico overnight on his return to Brazil following a three-week trip to United States military installations. General Obino and General Crittenberger were guests of honor at a reception given by General and Mrs. Bessell at Casa Blanca at which Vice Adm. and Mrs. W. R. Munroe, Maj. Gen. (retired) and Mrs. W. M. Grimes, and ranking Army and Navy officers from bases on the island were present with their wives.

The following day the General and Flag Officers in Puerto Rico flew to Borinquen Field to extend both an official and personal welcome to Gen. S. C. Obino, chief of the joint general staff of the Armed Forces of Brazil, and four members of the Brazilian joint general staff. A dinner party was given by Col. George H. Steele, commander of the 24th Composite Wing, at the Borinquen Field Officers' Club, honoring Generals Crittenberger and Obino.

Lt. Gen. Charles P. Hall, War Department Director of Organization and Training, Maj. Gen. Stephen J. Chamberlin, Director of Intelligence, and Maj. Gen. Willard G. Wyman, chief of the Army Ground Forces Intelligence section, with a staff of five War Department officers, were overnight visitors at Antilles Department Headquarters 15 Jan. They were en route from Panama to Washington, D. C. Traveling with the General Staff officers were Col. A. G. Franklin, Col. W. F. Powers, Lieut. Col. M. C. Brown, Maj. G. B. Macaulay, and Maj. W. F. Bond.

A supper given in their honor was attended by Mrs. E. J. Hanratta and Mrs. D. M. Campbell, guests of Gen. and Mrs. Bessell; Vice Admiral and Mrs. W. R. Munroe; Commodore and Mrs. E. B. Nixon; Maj. Gen. (Retired) and Mrs. W. M. Grimes; Col. (Retired) and Mrs. R. J. Fleming; Col. and Mrs. L. D. Carter; Col. and Mrs. H. J. Woodbury; Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Sherburn Whipple, jr.; Maj. and Mrs. W. F. Jackson; Mrs. P. J. Brennan; Mrs. Conchita Goenaga; Mrs. Elsa Jimenes de la Rosa; Lt. and Mrs. W. R. Munroe, jr.; Lieut. Felipe Vias; and Lieut. E. R. Hagberg.

BOLLING FIELD, D. C.
28 Jan. 1947

Lt. Col. and Mrs. J. E. Aitman were acting host and hostess at a buffet dinner given 24 Jan. at the Bolling Field Officers' Club by the officers of the Directorate of Personnel and Administration of Bolling Command.

After a most delicious dinner, the officers, their wives, and guests spent the evening dancing to music furnished by members of the Army Air Force Band.

Among the guests of the officers and their wives who enjoyed the evening were: Brig. Gen. B. M. Hovey (Commanding General of Bolling Field), Col. Thomas J. Christian, Col. and Mrs. R. W. Hall, Lt. Col. H. K. Roberts, Lt. Col. and Mrs. V. H. Slayden, Lt. Col. and Mrs. H. F. Funsch, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Eugene Rovegno, Maj. and Mrs. Milton Fischer, Capt. P. F. G. Eagan, 1st Lt. B. W. Young, and Miss Mildred Stratman.

The officers of the Directorate attending the party were: Lt. Col. and Mrs. M. F. Ritterbush, Maj. and Mrs. H. M. Brecht, Maj. and Mrs. F. W. Van Der Veer, Maj. and Mrs. J. S. Bowers, jr., Maj. D. W. Mengel, Maj. and Mrs. L. W. Berger, Maj. and Mrs. T. F. Peters, Maj. and Mrs. W. B. Broome, jr., Capt. and Mrs. J. R. Dick, Capt. J. E. Freeman, jr., Capt. and Mrs. J. C. McClanahan, Capt. and Mrs. Jan Pepe, Capt. N. E. Seizler, Capt. and Mrs. T. E. Pardue, jr., Capt. M. L. Rivers, Capt. H. L. Heintzelman, Capt. and Mrs. C. O'B. Cowardin, Capt. W. B. Vaughn, Capt. J. J. Simpson, Capt. and Mrs. R. H. Clark, Capt. L. Halvorsen, Capt. W. S. Blount, Capt. R. J. Frank, Capt. and Mrs. H. N. Johnson, Capt. and Mrs. P. A. Bolling, Capt. J. F. Lambert, Capt. T. V. Falt, Capt. and Mrs. H. W. Pardee, 1st Lt.

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H. N. Craig, 1st Lt. M. H. Coe, 1st Lt. J. T. Gillis, 1st Lt. T. Greer, 1st Lt. H. B. Barnes, 1st Lt. and Mrs. J. P. Robertson, 1st Lt. and Mrs. F. B. Netherwood, 1st Lt. and Mrs. F. S. Diauaide, 1st Lt. and Mrs. Z. T. Miloykovich, 1st Lt. and Mrs. T. R. Matthews, 1st Lt. W. J. Dempsey, jr., 1st Lt. R. J. Wehner, 1st Lt. J. Hunsucker, 2nd Lt. E. M. Lowe, 2nd Lt. J. F. Simes, CWO R. B. Fulton, CWO C. F. Green and CWO J. J. Leonard.

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FT. McCLELLAN, ALA.
25 Jan. 1947

A unique dance was staged Saturday evening at Remington Hall under the direction of the hospital medical department, Col. Allen W. Dawson, Post Surgeon, serving as chairman of the committee which also included Maj. Lowell Blackwell, Maj. Mildred Turner, ANC, and Capt. Marion C. Avrett. Representing "Doc's Juke Joint," the hall was decorated with appropriate placards and equipped with a bar and hamburger stand.

Assisting in serving refreshments to the 200 guests were Lt. Margaret Clark, Lt. Eugenia Holsknacht, Lt. Lillian Smith, Lt. Willie Gregg and Lt. Margaret Gattis, all Army nurses. Dealing out hamburgers with or without mustard were Capt. Eugene C. Bough, Lt. Owen Dahl and Lt. Cecil E. Buddin, officer patients.

The marriage of Lt. Reba Hare, ANC, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse L. Hare of Dorsey, Miss., to Capt. Edward Joseph Lonny, jr., of Fort McClellan, will be solemnized at the Station Hospital Chapel at 6 o'clock 2 Feb. The bride will be attended by Lt. Anne Fairley, ANC, while Capt. Eugene V. Bough will act as best man to the groom. The bride will be given away by Col. A. W. Dawson, hospital commander, with Lt. Col. Marie Galloway, Chief Nurse, singing "Because" prior to the ceremony, following which there will be a small reception in Julia Lide Hall.

A lovely event which took place recently in Albany, Ga., was the marriage of Miss Blanche Williams to Lt. Edward A. Brown of Buffalo, N. Y., and Fort McClellan, where he is aide-de-camp. Mrs. C. E. Harris, sister of the bride, was matron-of-honor, the bridesmaids being Miss Sara Hebson of Anniston, Ala., and Miss Dot Bennett of Columbus, Ga. Ushers included Capt. Orval H. Bayliss of Fort McClellan and Lt. Napier Ellis of Ft. Benning, Ga.

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FORT BRAGG, N. C.
24 January 1947

Mrs. Robert Piper, wife of Major Piper, has been presented the "Bronze Star" by Major General James M. Gavin, Commanding General of the 82nd Airborne Division. The citation was signed personally by Mr. Truman, President of the United States, and was awarded in recognition of Mrs. Piper's important and beneficial services as a Red Cross Field Director in Europe to the men of the 82nd Airborne Division.

Although Mrs. Piper is no longer of the Red Cross, she is still contributing her services to the 82nd Airborne Division. Her time is now principally involved with the training of her six months old son in the hope that one day he might join his father in that same Division.

THE ARMORED CENTER
Ft. Knox, Ky.
25 Jan. 1947

In recognition of their armored activities in Europe two officers of the Armored School have been awarded the Honorary Companion of the Distinguished Service Order by the British Army. The officers honored were Col. Hayden A. Sears, director of training at the Armored School, and Lt. Col. Creighton W. Abrams, chief of tactics of the Armored Center. Maj. Gen. A. W. Lee, commander of the British Army General Staff Section at Washington, visited the Armored Center to make the presentations.

Accompanying General Lee to the Armored Center were Brig. Gen. C. Huxley and Maj. V. A. P. Budge of the British Army.

General Wei Li-Huang, of the Chinese Army, was a recent visitor to the Armored Center. General Wei Li-Huang, who is making a tour of U. S. military installations, was accompanied by Mrs. Wei Li-Huang, Major Joseph D. Lowe, Mr. Chung An-Min and Miss Eleanor Breed, his American secretary.

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GROUND GENERAL SCHOOL CENTER
Ft. Riley, Kans.
25 Jan. 1947

Ambassador V. K. Weilington Koo of China and former Secretary of State Edward R. Stettinius visited Fort Riley 21 Jan. and were conducted on a tour of the facilities by Maj. Gen. I. D. White, Commanding General, The Ground General School Center.

The Ambassador and Mr. Stettinius were accompanied by Mayor Deppish of Junction City. Included in the visiting party were Mr. Joseph Ku, First Secretary of the Chinese Embassy, and Mr. Hathaway Watson, Special Assistant to Mr. Stettinius.

General White greeted the visitors at the Wounded Knee Monument, at which place Ambassador Koo received the honors from his official escort and was escorted to Patton Hall.

Both Ambassador Koo and Mr. Stettinius were in Junction City in connection with the ceremonies inaugurating the 1947 United Service to China campaign. Ambassador Koo is an honorary director of USC and Mr. Stettinius is the National Campaign Chairman.

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FT. EUSTIS, VA.
29 Jan. 1947

The Fort Eustis Officers Wives' Club held its election of officers at a recent luncheon meeting at the Officers' Club on the Post.

Mrs. Roy P. Moss is the new president of the organization. Others elected were Mrs. Walter L. Burt, vice president; Mrs. Allen M. Farrington, secretary, and Mrs. William A. Mundhenk, treasurer.

A new constitution was unanimously adopted and a new executive board chosen. Board members are Mrs. George C. Stewart, Mrs. Stephen W. Ackerman, Mrs. Joseph F. Phillips, Mrs. William O. Poindexter and Mrs. Leslie D. Wheat.

The organization has approximately one hundred members, and a wide and varied series of programs are now being worked out in the social relations, recreation and entertainment fields.

The club meets on the first and third Thursdays of each month in the Officers' Club at one p. m.

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MAXWELL FIELD, ALA.
25 Jan. 1947

The first of the Air Forces to have a reunion was the 7th Air Force when they gathered 27 Jan. at Maxwell Field. Even with bad flying weather about a hundred officers from various parts of the country attended the affair, among them several of the original staff when the 7th Air Force was organized in Honolulu December 1941.

The feature of the reunion was a cocktail supper held at the Officers Club that evening to which the wives were also invited.

All 7th Air Force officers signed booklets to be presented to Maj. Gen. Willis Hale and Maj. Gen. Robert Douglass, both former commanding generals of the 7th Air Force, Brig. Gen. Ernest E. Moore, commanding general Fighter Command and Brig. Gen. Truman H. Landon, commanding general Bomber Command.

Lt. Col. Arthur J. Walker, who was a prisoner of war from 16 Dec. 1943 to 14 Sept. 1945, was presented with a copy of the book, "One Damned Island After Another", written by Clive Howard and Joe Whitley, ex-sergeants of the 7th A.F. This was also signed by all officers present.

After supper Sgt. Marty Bahn of Personnel Services assisted by Miss Mariam Segall of Montgomery and Pfc. Alex Nova, gave an hour's show, which was accepted with a great deal of enthusiasm.

Guests invited to the dinner besides the 7th A.F. wives were Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Muir S. Fairchild, Col. and Mrs. John W. Warren, Col. and Mrs. William E. Covington and Brig. Gen. Steve Thomas.

Officers of the 7th Air Force attending were: Maj. Gen. Willis Hale, Maj. Gen. Robert Douglass, Brig. Gen. William F. Flood, (ret.), Col. Ralph Erickson, Col. Aaron W. Tyer, Col. C. S. Thorpe, Col. Kingston Tibbetts, Col. Lewis M. Sanders, Col. Pete Brewer, Col. William L. Boyd, Col. W. J. Holzappel, jr., Col. Wm. L. McCulla, Col. Forest F. Watson, Col. L. L. Kunish, Col. J. O. Beckwith, Col. Corurn Vansant, Col. J. K. Warner, Col. Dean E. Mansfield, Col. O. L. Glover, Col. R. T. Stevenson, Col. Andrew Smith, Col. Samuel M. Smith, Col. Ladson G. Eskridge, Lt. Col. Robert Genny, Lt. Col. Joseph F. Hunter, Lt. Col. Albert C. Windell, Lt. Col. Dee Rains, Lt. Col. Harry Arcularius, Lt. Col. Arthur J. Walker, Lt. Col. James R. Nuzum, Lt. Col. J. F. Payne, Lt. Col. Larry Myers, Lt. Col. D. J. Williams, Lt. Col. Roger A. Synnes, Maj. John A. Moore, Maj. Ed Hanson, Maj. E. P. Hurley, Maj. William L. Welch, Maj. John L. Hackleman, Maj. Mullon E. Wells, jr., Maj. A. Fickling, Maj. Jordan B. Knight, Maj. Maurice A. Broner, Maj. Walter P. Barney, Maj. J. S. Bleymaier, Maj. G. M. Earl, Maj. Gordon B. Kruger, Mrj. Forest A. Brandt, Maj. Lawrence T. Myers, Maj. D. L. McKeever, Maj. L. F. Strihafka, Maj. D. A. Stewart, Capt. Joseph D. McHale, Capt. Otto H. Grover, Capt. Jack M. Bryant, Capt. Wirt A. Laun, jr., Capt. James Grew, Capt. George A. Smith, Capt. Robert Savage, Capt. James A. Green, Capt. Raymond J. Griffiths, Lt. John G. Robinson, Lt. Carl J. Hubbard, jr., CWO William P. Ryan.

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PHILADELPHIA, PA.
25 Jan. 1947

Col. Clarence T. Davis, Professor of Military Science and Tactics at the University of Pennsylvania, with Mrs. Davis, was host to approximately one hundred guests at a reception honoring Army officers who are attending post-graduate or special courses at the university and their wives on 15 Jan., in Houston Hall. Dr. George W. McClelland, President and other officials of the university and the Deans of the schools attended by the officers were present.

Colonel and Mrs. Davis were assisted in entertaining their guests by members and wives of the ROTC staff, consisting of Lt. Col. and Mrs. J. B. Klopp, M.C., Lt. Col. and Mrs. A. P. Shipley, Inf., Maj. and Mrs. August Stayer, T. C., Maj. and Mrs. R. T. Caraballo, Q.M.C., and also by Col. and Mrs. C. L. Baird, M.C., of the student detachment, Captain and Mrs. Frank R. Dodge, USN, Professor of Naval Science and Tactics, and Miss Betty Davis.

The following named officers are now enrolled as students in the University of Pennsylvania: Colonels C. L. Baird, M.C., P. A. Mayo, F.D., Geo. Prazak, M. C., Lieut. Colonels: H. H. Andrae, Inf., S. D. Berardinelli, M. C., E. M. Carpenter, Q. M. C., W. F. Collins, V. C., I. W. Cory, CAC, E. M. DeYoung, M. C., F. D. Jones, M. C., L. S. Leland, M. C., D. L. McMillan, CAC, R. LeV. Martin, Cml C, J. L. Mastran, QMC, Edwin O'Connor, Cav., J. M. Parker, FD, W. T. Sichi, MC, R. G. Thompson, M. C., A. J. Weinnig, CAC, R. M. Williams, M. C., C. V. Wilson, Inf. Majors R. P. Campbell, Cav., W. A. Campbell, FA, H. M. Clanton, CAC, W. H. Crosby, M.C., J. R. Dillon, CAC, J. L. Hoggatt, AC, J. B. Moring, M.C., R. K. Nelson, Cml C., K. D. Orr, M.C., E. A. Ricketts, M.C., F. C. Stanford, FA, Albert Trearse, AC. Captains R. H. Clagett, Inf., Kurt Messing, M. C., J. H. Murphy, AC, V. R. Schmidt, Cav., J. G. Sisak, CAC, C. G. Young, CAC. First Lieutenants C. W. Alden M. C., Phipps Cole, FA, R. M. Morgan, M.C., C. J. O'Donovan, M.C., E. H. Rafes, M.C., G. T. Raper, M.C.

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OLIVER GENERAL HOSPITAL
Augusta, Ga.
25 Jan. 1947

A large contract covering the construction of a Neuropsychiatric Center at Oliver General Hospital has been awarded to Clarence Mobley Construction Company of Augusta, according to information released from the office of Capt. George M. Chapman, post engineer.

Work on the $300,000 contract will begin 27 Jan. and will entail the revamping of seven wards, building a fireproof connecting wing between two medical storage warehouses, removing all visible fixtures, rewiring all rooms, installing sprinklers, fire partitions and the like.

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HQ NINTH AIR FORCE
Greenville AAB, S. C.
27 Jan. 1947

A new musical "Swing Wing Revue," produced and directed by military personnel at the Greenville Army Air Base, is scheduled for a premiere showing 30 Jan. at the base theater in conjunction with the base March of Dimes drive.

The high-flying GAAB Flyers, winners of 21 out of 25 games during the current season, will enter the AAF basketball tourney to be held at Langley Field, Va., in March, cage officials announced here this week.

The Ninth Air Force Women's Club contributed $25 to the March of Dimes drive at their last meeting on 15 January to launch the campaign on the Greenville Army Air Base.

In a statement to the citizens of Greenville this week, marking the first anniversary of the movement of Command Headquarters from Stout Field, Indianapolis, Ind., to Greenville AAB, S. C., Maj. Gen. Paul L. Williams, Ninth Air Force Commander, pointed out the rapid growth and development of Greenville as aviation center in 1946.

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ALBROOK FIELD, C. Z.
21 Jan. 1947

The largest plane ever to visit Panama arrived here recently when a C-74 Douglas "Globe Master" arrived at Albrook Field piloted by Col. George Cassady of the Air Transport Command. The ATC plans to run a number of these planes on their regular schedule to this theatre.

Brig. Gen. Glen C. Jamison, deputy commander of the Caribbean Air Command, has gone to Quintero, Chile, where he will deliver the graduation address to students of Chile's Air Force on 25 Jan.

Lt. Colonel Burt Cosgrove has been assigned as assistant chief of staff, personnel, in this headquarters. Colonel Cosgrove entered the Air Force in 1931 and was assigned to the former Personnel Distribution Command prior to being assigned to this theatre.

Brig. Gen. John Samford will assume command of the 24th Composite Wing of the Caribbean Air Command at Borinquen Field, Puerto Rico, after a short leave in the United States. As commanding general of the 24th Wing, General Samford will have charge of all Army Air Force stations in the Antilles. General Samford has been serving as deputy assistant chief of staff, intelligence at headquarters of the Army Air Forces.

Mrs. Charles Walton of Lima, Peru, wife of Lt. Col. Charles Walton, the Military Air Attache of Peru, has been visiting with Col. and Mrs. Russ Spicer in their quarters at Howard Field. Colonel Spicer is commander of the 36th Fighter Group.

Governor J. C. Mehaffey of the Panama Canal has expressed written appreciation to the Caribbean Air Command for cooperation in the solicitation and contribution of funds for the 1946 Isthmian United Services Organization Campaign. Governor Mehaffey pointed out in his letter that the quota set for the Panama area, including Panama proper and Colon, was oversubscribed approximately 50 per cent and the contributions received through the armed services exceeded 40 percent of the total amount subscribed. Col. Robert E. Lee and Col. Clair A. Peterson were in charge of the USO drive for C. AirC.

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HQ. SIXTH ARMY
Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.
25 Jan. 1947

Brig. Gen. Frank D. Merrill, Sixth Army Chief of Staff, has received War Department orders to report next month to Manila where he will be a member of the U. S. Military Advisory Group to the Philippine Government.

Gen. Merrill in his new assignment will be deputy to Maj. Gen. Albert M. Jones, chairman of the advisory group. Gen. Jones' position corresponds to that held by General Douglas MacArthur in the Philippines prior to the Japanese attack.

With the retirement of Brig. Gen. Charles C. Hillman, Col. Dean F. Winn of Moore General Hospital at Asheville, N. C., this month took over duties as commanding officer at Letterman General Hospital.

General Hillman is now on terminal leave and will retire after 35 years of Army service. Following his leave, he will become director of the Jackson Memorial Hospital at Miami, Fla. He assumed command of Letterman in August, 1944, and prior to that served from 1935 to 1939 as Chief of Medical Service.

Col. Winn has served in the Army 30 years and is a former commanding officer at Schick General Hospital, Clinton, Iowa, and England General Hospital at Atlantic City, N. J.

Col. A. E. Forsyth, CAV, who recently served as executive in the G-4 Section of GHQ, AFPAC, Tokyo, has succeeded Col. James E. Wilson as chief of the Training and Operations Division, G-3 Section, Headquarters Sixth Army.

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ALSUP—Born at the 262d General Hospital, Fort Clayton, C. Z., 17 Jan. 1947, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. James T. Alsup, a daughter, Judy Cora.

BARRON—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 18 Jan. 1947, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Joseph W. Barron, a daughter.

BEAUMONT—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 22 Jan. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. Melvin C. Beaumont, a daughter.

BLANCHARD—Born at the 97th General Hospital, Frankfort, Germany, 5 Dec. 1946, to Capt. and Mrs. George S. Blanchard, a daughter, Kate Elizabeth.

BONNEAUX—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 19 Jan. 1947, to Col. and Mrs. Eugene P. Bonneaux, a daughter.

BOWMAN—Born at the Family Hospital, Quantico, Va., 16 Jan. 1947, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. G. S. Bowman, a son.

BROOKINS—Born 20 Jan. 1947, to S. Sgt. Olin K. Brookins, Post of Corozal, C. Z., and Mrs. Brookins, a son, Olin Kenneth, II.

BROWN—Born at Lying-in Hospital, Chicago, Ill., 30 Dec. 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Allan H. Brown, a daughter, Janice; granddaughter of Brig. Gen. Richard H. Somers, USA-Ret., and Mrs. Somers of Dover, N. H., and of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey W. Brown of Hyattsville, Md.

BRYANT—Born at the 262d General Hospital, Fort Clayton, C. Z., 11 Jan. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. Melvin Bryant of Albrook Field, a daughter, Patricia Elaine.

CRITCHELL—Born at the AAF Station Hospital, Bolling Field, D. C., 14 Jan. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. Laurence S. Critchell, jr., AC, a son.

CULP—Born at St. Lukes Hospital, Fargo, N. D., 18 Jan. 1947, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. James L. Culp, Inf., a daughter, Margaret Anne.

DARK—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Brooke Army Medical Center, 3 Jan. 1947, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Charles W. Dark, a son, Jay Wayne.

DEVINE—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 23 Jan. 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. John E. Devine, a son.

FLYNN—Born in Baltimore, Md., 16 Jan. 1947, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. William E. Flynn, a son, William, III.

FOUNTAIN—Born at the Station Hospital, MacDill Field, Fla., 20 Jan. 1947, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Willard A. Fountain, a son, Clinton Sherwood.

GARDNER—Born at the Station Hospital, Fort Monmouth, N. J., 19 Jan. 1947, to Lt. and Mrs. Hamilton B. Gardner, formerly of St. Albans, L. I., a son, John Morrison.

GAY—Born at the 262d General Hospital, Fort Clayton, C. Z., 21 Jan. 1947, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Robert E. Gay, a daughter, Pamela Lynn.

GELLING—Born at the Fort Knox Station Hospital, Ky., 15 Jan. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. Louis Gelling, a daughter, Carol. Capt. Gelling is aide de camp to Maj. Gen. John W. Leonard, commanding general of the Armored Center.

GENTRY—Born at the 262d General Hospital, Fort Clayton, C. Z., 17 Jan. 1947, to 2nd Lt. and Mrs. Alvin Gentry, a son, Michael Edward.

GUSTAFSON—Born at the Family Hospital, Quantico, Va., 14 Jan. 1947, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. W. N. Gustafson, a son.

HANDLEY—Born in Fresno Community Hospital, Fresno, Calif., 7 Jan. 1947, to Mr. Robert W. Handley and Susanna Shotwell Handley, formerly in the Marine Corps, of Kings Canyon National Park, Calif., a son, Phillip Whitney; grandson of Mrs. Phillip B. Shotwell and the late Col. Phillip B. Shotwell, USA.

HARVEY—Born at the 262d General Hospital, Fort Clayton, C. Z., 16 Jan. 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. Clarence Harvey of Howard Field, a daughter.

HAWKINS—Born at the Jackson County Hospital, Pascagoula, Miss., 22 Dec. 1946, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Wilson Maxwell Hawkins, a son, Wilson Maxwell, jr.; grandson of Col. and Mrs. Harold P. Stewart of Del Monte, Calif., and of Mrs. Sara Maxwell Hawkins of Moss Point, Miss. Lieutenant Colonel Hawkins is a student at the Command and Staff School, Fort Leavenworth, Kans.

HAWKINS—Born at the 262d General Hospital, Fort Clayton, C. Z., 21 Jan. 1947, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. G. L. Hawkins, a son.

HENNEBERGER—Born at U. S. Naval Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., 31 Dec. 1946, to Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. J. B. Henneberger, USN, their second son, Robert Edward; fourth grandson of Lt. Col. and Mrs. J. B. Henneberger, USA-Ret., of Washington, D. C., grandson of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Hotchkiss of Walnut Creek, Calif.

HULL—Born at Columbia Hospital, Washington, D. C., 13 Dec. 1946, to Mrs. John B. Hull, wife of Capt. John B. Hull, Inf., USA, (USMA '43).

JAGGERS—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 1 Jan. 1947, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Jack S. Jaggers, a daughter, Jacqueline Ray.

KEENE—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 7 Jan. 1947, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Emitt D. Keene, a son, Emitt Donald, jr.

KOUNS—Born in the Aeronautical Hospital, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, 21 Jan. 1947, to Lt. Col. Charles W. Kouns, USA, and Mrs. Kouns, their second child, a son, John Putnam.

LANE—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 21 Jan. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. Richard J. Lane, a son.

LAWLEY—Born at the AAF Station Hospital, Bolling Field, D. C., 21 Jan. 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. William B. Lawley, AC, a daughter.

LOOKE—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 19 Jan. 1947, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Cecil J. Looke, a daughter.

LYNCH—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 21 Jan. 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. John W. Lynch, a son.

MARSHALL—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 21 Jan. 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. Felix M. Marshall, a daughter.

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McNEIL—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 22 Jan. 1947, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Edwin E. McNeil, AC, a son, Richard Patrick; grandson of Rear Adm. and Mrs. W. J. McNeil and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reed, all of Washington.

MURPHY—Born at the 262d General Hospital, Fort Clayton, C. Z., 19 Jan. 1947, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Billy Murphy, jr., a son, Freddy Hays.

MUSSETT—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 20 Jan. 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. William K. Mussett, a son.

NOTT—Born at the 262d General Hospital, Fort Clayton, C. Z., 11 Jan. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. Charles Hudson Nott of Howard Field, a son, Hudson Malcolm.

NYE—Born at the AAF Station Hospital, Bolling Field, D. C., 18 Jan. 1947, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. James N. Nye, AC, a son.

OBENCHAIN—Born at Station Hospital, West Point, N. Y., 31 Dec. 1946, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Irving R. Obenchain, jr. (USMA '42), a daughter, Kathleen Lee.

O'BRIEN—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 1 Jan. 1947, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Edward Anthony O'Brien, II, a son, Edward Anthony, III.

ORYCZCAK—Born at the Family Hospital, Quantico, Va., 16 Jan. 1947, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. W. J. Oryczcak, a son.

OWENS—Born at Newport General Hospital, Newport, R. I., 30 Dec. 1946, to Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Gordon Noel Owens, a son, Douglas Noel.

PHILLIPS—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 22 Jan. 1947, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. John R. Phillips, a daughter.

POTTER—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 17 Jan. 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. Kenneth B. Potter, a son.

PRATER—Born at the AAF Station Hospital, Bolling Field, D. C., 11 Jan. 1947, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Frank Prater, AC, a daughter.

REYNOLDS—Born at the 262d General Hospital, Fort Clayton, C. Z., 18 Jan. 1947, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. John James Reynolds, a son.

RIGBY—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 17 Jan. 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. Elmer C. Rigby, a daughter.

ROBINSON—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 18 Jan. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. Harold E. Robinson, a daughter.

ROTHERT—Born at Fort Benning Hospital, Ga., 19 Jan. 1947, to Lt. Robert N. Rothert and Mrs. Rothert, a daughter, Darlene Merle.

SHARP—Born at the AAF Station Hospital, Bolling Field, D. C., 13 Jan. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. Feeeman W. Sharp, jr., QMC, a daughter.

SMITH—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 18 Jan. 1947, to Maj. and Mrs. Herman F. Smith, a daughter.

SNIDER—Born at the AAF Station Hospital, Bolling Field, D. C., 14 Jan. 1947, to Col. and Mrs. Robert L. Snider, AC, a daughter.

SNOWDEN—Born at U. S. Naval Hospital, Annapolis, Md., 4 Sept. 1946, to Comdr. W. M. Snowden (MC) USN, and Mrs. Snowden, a son, David Robert.

SON—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 2 Jan. 1947, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Raymond H. Son, a son, Preston Raymond.

SPECKMAN—Born at Newport Hospital, Newport, R. I., 27 Jan. 1947, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. P. Joseph Speckman, USMC, their third child, a son.

STETTER—Born at the 262d General Hospital, Fort Clayton, C. Z., 11 Jan. 1947, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Ray N. Stetter, of Fort Amador, a son, Daniel Douglas.

SULISH—Born at the AAF Station Hospital, Bolling Field, D. C., 12 Jan. 1947, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. John Sulish, AC, twin sons.

SWANK—Born at Heidelberg, Germany, 5 Dec. 1946, to Lt. Col. Walter D. Swank, Transportation Section (USMA '40) and Mrs. Dorothy Gross Swank, a son, Lawrence Drummond.

THOMAS—Born at the Family Hospital, Quantico, Va., 19 Jan. 1947, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. R. H. Thomas, a son.

VAN BUSKIRK—Born at the 262d General Hospital, Fort Clayton, C. Z., 9 Jan. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. Robert Carroll Van Buskirk from Fort Clayton, a son, John Clayton.

VITT—Born at St. Vincents Hospital, Portland, Ore., 2 Dec. 1946, to Maj. and Mrs. Gustave E. Vitt, a son, Gary Edward. Major Vitt is stationed at Ansbach, Germany.

WADLEIGH—Born at Phillips House, Boston, Mass., 19 Jan. 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. George Remey Wadleigh, a daughter, Mary Remey Wadleigh; great-granddaughter of the late Rear Admiral George C. Remey and Mrs. Remey and Rear Admiral and Mrs. George H. Wadleigh.

WATKINS—Born at Lying-In Hospital, Providence, R. I., 24 Jan. 1947, to Maj. John C. A. Watkins, AAF, AUS, and Mrs. Watkins, a son, Robert Danforth; grandson of Col. Dudley Warren Watkins, USA-Ret., and Mrs. Watkins of Westport, Conn., and Mrs. Murray S. Danforth, and the late Dr. Danforth of Providence; nephew of Lt. Col. T. H. Watkins, AAF, USA, instructor with the Massachusetts National Guard (Air), Capt. Dudley W. Watkins, Ord. Dept., AUS of Boston and Mr. Murray S. Danforth of Yale University.

WHITLOW—Born at Alexandria Hospital, Va., 23 Jan. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. F. Chirs Whitlow of Ft. Belvoir, Va., a son, Douglas Alan.

WIGGINS—Born at the Family Hospital, Quantico, Va., 20 Jan. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. A. Wiggins, a daughter.

WISHART—Born at the Regional Hospital, Scott Field, Ill., 12 Jan. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. James H. N. Wishart, a son, James Henderson Nelson.

WOOD—Born at the Station Hospital, Scott Fld., Ill., 14 Jan. 1947, to Capt. and Mrs. William M. Wood, a daughter, Candace.

Married

BARR-ROBINSON — Married at San Antonio, Tex., 13 Jan. 1947, Mrs. Oliver Prescott Robinson, to Lt. Col. Frank Barr, USA-Ret.

BELL-DONOVAN—Married at Walter Reed Memorial Chapel, Washington, D. C., recently, Miss Johanna Patricia Donovan, daughter of Mrs. John George Donovan and the late Col. Donovan, of Bethesda, to David Pratt Bell.

CALLAWAY-MATTERN — Married in St. Stephens Episcopal Church, Sewickley, Pa., 25 Jan. 1947, Miss Ruth Eleanor Mattern, to Charles H. Callaway, son of Capt. R. J. Townsend, USN, and Mrs. Townsend, of Norfolk and Coronado, Calif.

COSTELLO-WYATT—Married in the Holy Comforter Church, Washington, D. C., 27 Jan. 1947, Miss Margaret Helen Wyatt, to CPO James Bernard Costello.

DUNSEATH-FALLON — Married in San Diego, Calif., recently, Miss Suzanne Fallon, to Ens. William J. R. Dunseath, USN, of Haddon Heights, N. J.

HANSEN-DE MERCADO—Married in Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, New York City, 29 Jan. 1947, Miss Peggy Anne de Mercado, to Lt. John Richard Hansen, USMCR.

HIRSCH-BUSBY — Married at Fort Myer Chapel, Fort Myer, Va., 25 Jan. 1947, Miss Winifred Busby, to Brig. Gen. Maurice Hirsch, AUS, of Houston, Tex.

HUNT-COLEMAN—Married at the QM School Chapel, Cp Lee, Va., 20 Dec. 1946, Miss Dorothy Coleman of Richmond, Va., to Lt. William J. Hunt.

JONES-DIXON—Married in Our Lady of Victory Church, Washington, D. C., 25 Jan. 1947, Miss Marion Louise Dixon, daughter of Col. William M. Dixon and the late Mrs. Katherine Brennan Dixon, to Mr. Paul LaMar Jones.

KRISTOFAK-FEATHERS—Married in the St. Patrick's Church, Miami Beach, Fla., 25 Jan 1947, Miss Henrietta Kavanaugh Feathers, to Lt. Charles John Kristofak, USNR.

LEWIS-KELLY—Married at Santa Monica, Calif., 24 Dec. 1946, Kathleen A. Kelly, to S. Sgt. C. R. Lewis.

McGLANNAN-BURNHAM—Married in St. Andrew's Chapel of the Naval Academy at Annapolis, Md., 30 Jan. 1947, Miss Joan Allison Burnham, daughter of Mrs. George H. Burnham, of Annapolis, and Capt. Burnham, USNR, of Philadelphia, to Francis Mansfield McGlannan.

MOORE-McJILTON—Married in the main chapel at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., 25 Jan. 1947, Miss Suan Rogers McJilton, to S. Sgt. James Clifton Moore, USA, of Brockton, Mass.

NADICH-RIBALOW—Married in New York City, 26 Jan. 1947, Miss Hadassah Ribalow, to Lt. Col. Judah Nadich.

NELSON-BRASHER — Married in Walter Reed Memorial Chapel, Washington, D. C., 18 Jan. 1947, Lt. Irene Mildred Brasher, to Robert Rudolph Nelson.

O'DONNELL-MOORE—Married in the rectory of St. Alphonsus' Church, Baltimore, Md., 24 Dec. 1946, Miss Colleen Elizabeth Moore, to Maj. John C. O'Donnell, AAF, USA.

PEABODY-COLT—Married at the home of the bride, New York City, 25 Jan. 1947, Mrs. Margaret Mason Colt, to Brig. Gen. Paul Everton Peabody, USA, of the Army War College, Washington.

POPE-WALLACE — Married at the Red Memorial Presbyterian Church, Augusta, Ga., 25 Jan. 1947, Miss Margaret Jean Wallace, to Col. Lemuel Edwin Pope, of Griffin, Ga.

RAPPUHN-GERHART — Married at the home of the bride, Point Loma, Calif., 3 Jan. 1947, Miss Dorothy Pursell Gerhart, daughter of Capt. Luther F. Gerhart, USN, and Mrs Gerhart, to Ens. Alfred Albert Rappuhn, jr.

SAMPIERI-VREELAND—Married at Rockville, Md., 18 Jan. 1947, Nedra Vreeland, to S. Sgt. F. P. Sampieri.

SARNOFF-BROWN—Married in the home of the bride's parents, Scarsdale, N. Y., 26 Jan. 1947, Miss Jean Brown, to Edward Sarnoff, son of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. David Sarnoff of New York.

SPRAGINS-DINGLEY — Married in the Cadet Chapel at West Point, N. Y., 29 Jan. 1947, Miss Joyce Dingley, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Nelson Dingley, III, to Lt. Charles S. Spragins, USA, (USMA '45) son of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Robert B. Spragins, of Huntsville, Ala.

WARD-BIFERIE — Married at St. Madeline's Chapel, San Antonio, Tex., 18 Jan. 1947, Lt Genevieve R. Biferie, to Lt. John J. Ward.

WILMOT-WILSON — Married in First Church of the Nazarene, Cumberland, Md., recently, Miss Mildred Maxine Wilson, to Ens. Chester Robert Wilmot, USNR.

WORGAN-BOLDEN — Married in Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Baltimore, Md., 24 Jan. 1947, Miss Mary Virginia Bolden, to Capt. David Worgan, MC, USA.

Died

ANDERSON—Died in a fire at the 172d Station Hospital, Camp Schimmelpfennig, Sendai, Japan, 9 Jan 1947, Maj. Morris Anderson of Baton Rouge, La.

BROWN—Killed in a plane crash after taking off from Itazuke Army Air Base, Fifth Air Force, Japan, 15 Jan. 1947, 1st Lt. Sidney Malcolm Brown.

BURNS—Died at Oakland, Calif., 20 Jan. 1947, Rear Adm. Henry F. Burns, CEC, USN. Services at Fort Myer Chapel 27 Jan. Interment in Arlington National Cemetery.

CLARKSON—Killed in a plane crash near Hamburg, Germany, 24 Jan. 1947, 1st Lt. William L. Clarkson, USA, (USMA '45), son of Lt. Col. and Mrs. William M. Clarkson.

CRAVEN—Died in the Army-Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Ark., 24 Jan. 1947, Col. William Murphy Cravens, II, USA-Ret. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Alice Cravens; a son, William Murphy Cravens, III, and a daughter, Alyn Thayer Cravens, all of 220 North 14th Street, Fort Smith, Ark.

DIXON—Died at Savannah, Ga., 13 Jan. 1947, Mrs. Jessie Dale Dixon, widow of James M Dixon, mother of Mrs. Stephen Harrison MacGregor, wife of Col. MacGregor, Springfield Armory, Mass., and Mrs. Henry B. Sayler, wife of Brig. Gen. Henry B. Sayler, Washington, D. C.

EARNEST—Died at her home, Nurnberg, Germany, Mrs. Edith Emily Earnest, wife of Maj. Clyde T. Earnest.

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Births, Marriages, Deaths

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FLEMING—Died in Burlington, Iowa, 26 Jan. 1947, Mrs. John J. Fleming, mother of Maj. Gen. Philip B. Fleming, administrator of the Office of Temporary Controls Funeral services at St. Paul's Church, Burlington, 27 Jan.

FOREMAN—Died in a fire at the 172d Station Hospital, Camp Schimmelpfennig, Sendai, Japan, 9 Jan. 1947, Capt. George E. Foreman, of Pawtucket, R. I.

FRANCE—Died in Leland Memorial Hospital, Riverdale, Md., 14 Jan. 1947, Albert Finley France, husband of Mary Hill France of Annapolis, Md., father of Rear Adm. A. F. France, USN-Ret., Col. Ewing H. France, USA-Ret., and the late Capt. William C. France, USN.

HOLT—Died at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 22 Jan. 1947, Capt. Frank Holt, USA-Ret Interment in Arlington National Cemetery 25 Jan.

JAHIMIAK—Died near Silverhill, Baldwin County, Ala., 11 Dec 1946, Aviation Cadet Theodore Jahimiak, USNR.

KABRICH—Died at Montclair, N. J., 27 Jan. 1947, Brig. Gen. William C. Kabrich, USA-Ret., formerly of the Chemical Warfare Service.

KIMES—Died at the George Demitt Memorial Hospital, Humansville, Mo., 16 Jan. 1947, Maj. Travis Kimes, jr.

KNIGHT—Died at Los Angeles, Calif., 18 Jan. 1947, Jane Topham Knight, daughter of Lt. Col. Joseph L. Topham, USA-Ret., and Imogen Kirkham Topham, 1763 North Point St., San Francisco, who survive her. She was a member of the American Legion and served during World War II in the U. S. Marine Corps Women's Reserve. Burial in Golden Gate National Cemetery, 23 Jan.

LAMAR — Killed in a plane crash near Carlsbad, Calif., 27 Jan. 1947, 2nd Lt. William W. Lamar (USMA '46) tackle on the championship Army football teams of 1944 and 1945.

McGOWAN—Killed in a plane crash on Okinawa, 18 Dec. 1946, 2nd Lt. George Bradford McGowan, jr., of Takoma Park, Md. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery.

MERRILL—Died in the Officers' Club at the Army War College, Washington, D. C., 22 Jan. 1947, Col. Roger Merrill of Nyack, N. Y.

MOORE — Died at U. S. Naval Hospital, Bethesda, Md., 27 Dec. 1946, QMSgt. Frederick Houston Moore, USMC-Ret.

MOORE—Died in Tilton General Hospital, Fort Dix, N. J., 23 Jan. 1947, Lt. Col. Richard E. Moore, USA-Ret. Burial in Arlington National Cemetery.

MORTON—Died at the Station Hospital, Scott Field, Ill., recently, T. Sgt. Harry A. Morton, USA.

NELSON—Died 15 Jan. 1947, 2nd Lt. Glenn F. Nelson, on duty with VMF-312.

NIEMANN—Died in a fire at the 172d Station Hospital, Camp Schimmelpfennig, Sendai, Japan, 9 Jan. 1947, Capt. Karl W. Niemann, of Muskogee, Okla.

PADGETT—Died in Pacific Area, 12 Dec. 1946, 2nd Lt. Herbert Emory Padgett, USMCR.

PLANT—Died at his home in Opelika, Ala., 14 Jan. 1947, William Thomas Plant, father of Mrs. R. D. Ingalls, wife of Col. R. D. Ingalls, Ret., of Auburn, Ala.; Mrs. J. R. Fuller, wife of Lt. Col. J. R. Fuller, CIC, Washington, D. C., and of 1st Lt. Martha Plant, ANC, Ft. McClellan, Ala.; and grandfather of Capt. R. D. Ingalls, jr. (USMA "44), AAF, Guam.

RAGAN—Died in New York City, 26 Jan. 1947, Lt. Col. Charles A. Ragan, USA. Services and interment in Arlington National Cemetery, 29 Jan.

RHODES—Died at his home in suburban Manoa, Philadelphia, Pa., 28 Jan. 1947, Comdr. John B. Rhodes, USN (Ret) (USNA '07).

ROOS — Died at Shanghai, China, 20 Nov 1946, Lt. Richard Frank Roos, USN.

SIMMONDS—Died at U. S. Naval Hospital, Chelsea, Mass., 6 Dec. 1946, Lt. Frederick Joshua Simmonds, USN-Ret.

Obituaries

Brig. Gen. William C. Kabrich, USA-Ret, whose home was at Montclair, N. J., died 27 Jan. Funeral services were held 31 Jan. at Arlington National Cemetery.

Honorary pallbearers included Maj. Gen. Alden H. Waitt, Chief, Chemical Corps; Brig. Gen. E. Montgomery, Air Chemical Officer; Brig. Gen. J. F. Battley, Executive Officer to the Chief of Public Information; Maj. Gen. H. K. Loughery, USA-Ret; Col. D. C. Cordiner, USA-Ret; Col. Charles E. Loucks, Chief, Research and Development Division, Chemical Corps; Col. Hume, Montclair, N. J., and H. V. Wright, Edgewood, Md.

Born at Pocahontas, Va., 19 Sept. 1895, General Kabrich was graduated from Virginia Polytechnic Institute as a Mechanical Engineer in 1917 and was commissioned in the Coast Artillery Corps in 1917. In September 1929 he transferred to the Chemical Corps as Assistant to the Technical Director at Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland. Four years later he received a degree of Master of Science in Chemical Engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Returning to Edgewood, he made valuable contributions to the expanding Chemical Corps. He was promoted to the rank of Brigadier General 12 Dec. 1942.

General Kabrich is perhaps best known in the Army for his work as Chief of the Technical Division of the Chemical Corps at Edgewood Arsenal. This position he held during the early emergency and war period. As chief of this division, which was responsible for the design and development of Chemical Corps munitions, General Kabrich worked in close cooperation with the British and Canadian forces and spent several months in Europe conferring with British Chemical Warfare Service representatives. As a result of the cooperative work with the British Government, General Kabrich was awarded the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, degree of Honorary Commander. He was also awarded the Legion of Merit and the Army Commendation Ribbon.

General Kabrich is survived by his widow Mrs. Bulah B. Kabrich.

Col. Edmund R. Shugart, AGD, USA, died at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 15 Jan. 1947. Funeral services were conducted in the Post Chapel, Fort Myer, Va., 18 Jan., followed by interment in Arlington National Cemetery.

Col. Shugart was born at Princeton, Ark., 5 Jan. 1894. He was graduated from Ouachita College in 1916 and entered the Army as an Infantry officer in 1917. During World War I he was overseas with the Army of Occupation, in Germany, returning to the United States with the 5th Infantry in 1922. He later served with the 13th, 14th and 21st Infantry Regiments. Hq. Hawaiian Division and Hq. Panama Canal Zone. He was for four years on ROTC duty with the South Dakota State College. In 1941, Colonel Shugart was assigned to the office of The Adjutant General in Washington, remaining there until assigned in 1944 as Director of Administration, Hq. Persian Gulf Command. He later was transferred to Hq. Allied Forces and Mediterranean Theater of Operations in Italy, where he was, first, Assistant Adjutant General, and, later, Adjutant General. He returned to the Office of The Adjutant General, Washington, in April, 1946.

For his services in World War II, Colonel Shugart was awarded the Legion of Merit, the Bronze Star and the Order of the British Empire.

Colonel Shugart is survived by his wife, Mrs. Beatrice Shugart, and daughter, Margaret Jane Shugart, of 4707 Connecticut Ave., NW, Washington, D. C., and by his mother, Mrs. Sarah Shugart, of Arkadelphia, Ark., and five brothers and three sisters.

Mrs. John J. Fleming, mother of Maj. Gen. Philip B. Fleming, died 26 Jan. at Burlington, Ia. Funeral services were held 27 Jan. at St. Paul's Church, Burlington, Ia.

Mrs. Fleming is survived by six children, 16 grandchildren, and 22 great-grandchildren. All of Mrs. Fleming's children and sons-in-law who were eligible served in either the first or second World Wars. General Fleming, now serving in the dual capacity of Administrator of the Federal Works Agency and Administrator of the Office of Temporary Controls, is a graduate of the 1911 class of West Point. Mrs. Fleming's other son, John J. Fleming, jr., of Philadelphia, Pa., served as a Lt. Comdr. in the U. S. Navy during the recent war. Mrs. Fleming's four daughters are: Mrs. Harding Polk (widow of Col. Harding Polk) of Burlington, Ia.; Mrs. W. G. Van Auken (widow of W. G. Van Auken, a captain in the U. S. Army during the first World War) of Buffalo, Wyo.; Mrs. Henry W. Chittenden, jr., of Owings Mills, Md., whose husband served in the Army during the first World War, and Mrs. Wilfrid M. Blunt of Colorado Springs, Colo., whose husband, Col. Wilfrid M. Blunt, is a graduate of West Point.

Eleven of the grandchildren served in the recent war, four in the Army, four in the Navy, one in the Merchant Marine, one in the WAC, and one in the WAVES. They are Col. James H. Polk, USA; Col. John Polk, USA; Capt. Carson Fleming, USAAF; Lt. Thomas Polk, USN; Capt. Wendell Van Auken, USA; Lt. Cynthia Van Auken, WAC; John Chittenden, Merchant Marine; Mary Blunt, WAVES, and James L. Van Auken, Philip Van Auken, and Peter Van Auken, U. S. Navy.

Mrs. Jessie Dale Dixon, well known in Army circles, died 13 Jan. at Savannah, Ga.

The widow of James M. Dixon, Mrs. Dixon was the daughter of the late Joseph J. and Delia White Dale and she and her sister, Mrs. Edgar A. Nichols of Savannah, were the remaining survivors of the Dale family. Active in church and social affairs, Mrs. Dixon was a member of Independent Presbyterian Church.

Besides her sister, Mrs. Dixon is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Henry B. Sayler, wife of Brig. Gen. Henry B. Sayler, Assistant Chief of Ordnance, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Stephen MacGregor, wife of Col. S. H. MacGregor, Commanding Officer of Springfield Armory, Springfield, Mass., and one son, Merritt W. Dixon, jr., of Savannah. She was the grandmother of Lt. Comdr. S. H. MacGregor, jr., USN (USNA '40), Maj. Henry B. Sayler, jr., AC, USA and Cadet John M. Sayler of the U. S. Military Academy, and Mrs. John B. Hull, wife of Capt. John B. Hull, aide to General Eisenhower.

Burial was in Bonaventure Cemetery, Savannah, 14 Jan.

Lt. Col. Richard E. Moore, of 62 Crest Drive, Little Silver, N. J., USA-Ret, died 23 Jan. in Tilton General Hospital, Fort Dix, N. J., after an illness of several months. His age was 58.

Born in Hartford, Conn., Col. Moore was a son of the late Howard and Sarah Marvel Moore. He entered the Army in 1917, serving on the Mexican border. In World War I, he took part in six major engagements, receiving the Silver Star Medal for gallantry in action, and for several months he served with the Army of Occupation in Germany. Afterward he served at various posts in this country, Hawaii, and the Philippines, retiring in 1939.

With the outbreak of the second World War, he was recalled to active duty, and was stationed at the Army Signal Corps School, Fort Monmouth. He retired again in 1943.

Surviving Colonel Moore are his wife, Helen, and twin daughters, Barbara Jane, and Elizabeth Ann, 11 years old.

Burial was in Arlington National Cemetery.

Weddings and Engagements

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very full skirt and long train. Her veil was tulle, with a coronet of rose-point, she carried white roses and sweet peas. Her attendants were Mrs. W. S. Nicholson from Worcester, Mass., Mrs. John R. Friar, sister-in-law of the bride, and Miss Anne Alica Jones, sister of the bride groom. The ushers were Mr. Nicholson and Mr. Friar. Col. Jones was best man for his son. Miss Friar was given in marriage by her father.

The beautiful little church of St. Barnabas was lit entirely by candles, and there were white chrysanthemums on the altar.

The reception was held at the Parish house, which was decorated with autumn flowers. Many friends from Worcester came down for the wedding and Mr. Robert Howze Jones, brother, and Mr. David Fisher, cousin of the bridegroom were also present. After a short stay at Coonamessett Inn, Falmouth, the young couple will live at 426 Ross Street, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Capt. Mary Dorothy Graf, WAC, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Graf, and Capt. Charles E. Gibbons, AGD, AUS, son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Gibbons of Buffalo, were married 8 Jan., in the First Methodist church of Dunkirk, N. Y.

The bride wore a gown of white silk net over taffeta, the skirt trimmed with white curled ostrich feathers. Her finger-tip veil fell from an arrangement of ostrich feathers. She wore a pearl necklace and carried a white satin muff covered with gardenias.

The bride was attended by Miss Margaret G. Johnson of Erie and the best man was Earl F. Gibbons of Buffalo. David F. Graf, brother of the bride, was the usher.

A reception at the Colonial Inn in Fredonia followed.

The bridegroom served with the Third Infantry division for 41 months in the Mediterranean theater.

Capt. Charles E. Gibbons is with the Adjutant General's Section of Army Ground Force Headquarters at Fort Monroe, Va. Capt. Mary G. Gibbons was commanding officer of the WAC detachment at Fort Bragg, N. C., and has been transferred to Fort Monroe, Va., and will command the WAC Detachment of Headquarters, Army Ground Forces.

The wedding of Miss Billie Ann Phillips daughter of Maj. Albert E. Phillips, jr., Q.M. Corps, AUS, and Mrs. Phillips (Alice Rand) and granddaughter of Col. Albert E. Phillips, Cav.,-Ret., and Mrs. Phillips and Mr. Alfred F. Currie was solemnized at a nuptial Mass at Our Mother of Sorrows Church in Louisville, Kentucky, 18 Jan.

Mr. Alfred Struck (former Major AUS) attended Mr. Currie as best man. A reception was held at the bride's home at which the bride cut the wedding cake with her grandfather's sabre, after which the bridal couple left by plane for New York where they will reside.

Mrs. W. Douglass Hall of Chicago, has announced the marriage of her daughter, Elton Hall Hunter, to Col. James Alexander Samouce, FA, on 15 Oct. at Hinsdale, Ill.

The marriage took place in the home of the William C. Clancey's of Hinsdale, with Dr. Harrison Ray Anderson of the Fourth Presbyterian Church of Chicago, officiating.

The bride wore an afternoon gown of balienciaga crepe with dark brown accessories, and bronze orchids.

The best man was Mr. Arthur Hailand of Barrington, Ill. Immediately after the ceremony a reception was held for a small group of intimate friends.

Mrs. Samouce is well known socially in Chicago and in Army circles. She was the widow of Lt. Col. Richard Grant Hunter, FA, who survived the battle of Bataan, but was lost at sea on a Japanese prison ship on 24 Oct. 1944.

Colonel Samouce was graduated from the U. S. Military Academy with the class of 1920. He is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander Samouce, and is presently recuperating at Letterman General Hospital in San Francisco.

Posts and Stations

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During Col. Wilson's recent hospitalization his duties as chief of the section were performed by Lt. Col. L. D. Smith, now on assignment in Tokyo.

OGDEN, UTAH, GENERAL DEPOT
25 Jan. 1947

Col. O. W. Humphries, commanding officer of the Utah General Depot, Ogden, and Mrs. Humphries entertained at a cocktail party and dinner, 24 Jan., honoring Col. and Mrs. Frank C. Holbrook, Lt. Col. Robert K. Blair and his mother, Mrs. Robert A. Blair, recent arrivals at the depot.

More than 40 guests attended the party at the Humphries' quarters. The dinner was held in the depot officers' club preceding a dance. Guests at the dinner included Mr. and Mrs. Julian Bamberger and Mr. and Mrs. George S. Glen, all of Salt Lake City; Capt. and Mrs. John Ball of the Naval Supply Depot, Clearfield, Utah; Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Browning, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer S. Eccles, Mr. and Mrs. Willard L. Eccles and Mr. and Mrs. George S. Eccles, all of Ogden.

Colonel Holbrook recently was appointed executive officer of the depot. Lt. Colonel Blair is officer in charge of the American Graves Registration Service distribution division at the depot.

Army Orders

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to 2d Army, Ft. Monroe, Va.

1st Lt. E. Fitzgerald, Ft. Dix, N. J., to Brooke AMC, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

1st Lt. M. C. Gaddis, Waco, Tex., to Brooke AMC, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

1st Lt. E. C. Griffin, Scott Fld, Ill., to Walter Reed GH, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. M. D. Cochick, Phoenixville, Pa., to Walter Reed GH, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. M. L. King, Ft. Sill, Okla., to Brooke GH, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

1st Lt. E. G. Scheuer, Mitchel Fld, N. Y., to Walter Reed GH, Wash., D. C.

1st Lt. R. E. Schwartz, Cp Beale, Calif., to Tilton GH, Ft. Dix, N. J.

1st Lt. E. D. Wormeley, Battle Creek, Mich., to 7th Army Sta Hosp, Ft. McPherson, Ga.

1st Lt. M. H. Babnic, Cp Campbell, Ky., to 2d Army Sta Hosp, Ft. Knox, Ky.

1st Lt. L. M. Bolin, Ft. Wayne, Mich., to 5th Army Sta Hosp, Cp McCoy, Wis.

1st Lt. M. J. Feltz, Wash., D. C., to Percy Jones GH, Battle Creek, Mich.

1st Lt. S. E. Ames, Keesler Fld, Miss., to Army & Navy GH, Hot Springs Nat'l Pk, Ark.

1st Lt. H. S. Koziol, Cp Campbell, Ky., to 2d Army Sta Hosp, Ft. Knox, Ky.

1st Lt. F. P. Kuniewicz, Cp Campbell, Ky., to 2d Army Sta Hosp, Ft. Knox, Ky.

1st Lt. L. A. Rapley, Wash., D. C., to Tilton GH, Ft. Dix, N. J.

1st Lt. H. R. Sims, Ft. McPherson, Ga., to Hq 5th Army, Chicago.

1st Lt. G. E. Walters, Cp Campbell, Ky., to 2d Army Sta Hosp, Ft. Knox, Ky.

1st Lt. C. E. Holloway, Ft. Lawton, Wash., to NYPE, Brooklyn, N. Y.

1st Lt. K. A. Moyes, Cp Beale, Calif., to Tilton GH, Ft. Dix, N. J.

1st Lt. C. M. Sanders, Cp Beale, Calif., to Army & Navy GH, Hot Springs Nat'l Pk, Ark.

2nd Lt. M. L. Minor, Cp Campbell, Ky., to 2d Army Sta Hosp, Ft. Knox, Ky.

2nd Lt. B. E. Purifoy, Ft. Sill, Okla., to Army & Navy GH, Hot Springs Nat'l Pk, Ark.

2nd Lt. I. A. Rizzonelli, Cp Campbell, Ky., to 2d Army Sta Hosp, Ft. Knox, Ky.

2nd Lt. J. L. Schafer, Cp Campbell, Ky.

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to 2d Army Sta Hosp, Ft. Knox, Ky.

2nd Lt. M. T. Sheridan, Augusta, Ga., to Army & Navy GH, Hot Springs Nat'l Pk, Ark.

2nd Lt. M. C. Wasen, Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md., to 2d Army, Carlisle Bks, Pa.

The following ANC officers are reld fr asgmt and stat indicated and atchd unasgd to Stu Det MFSS Brooke AMC, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.:

2nd Lt. L. R. Browning, Madigan GH, Ft. Lewis, Wash.

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Financial Digest

A summary of general business and financial conditions in the United States, based upon statistics for Dec. and the first half of Jan., prepared by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, shows that industrial output declined slightly in Dec. owing mainly to the temporary reduction in coal supplies and to holiday influences. Value of retail trade was maintained close to record levels. Wholesale prices of industrial products have advanced somewhat further in recent weeks.

The Board's seasonally adjusted index of industrial production was 179 per cent of the 1935-39 average in Dec. as compared with 182 in Nov. Output of durable goods decreased somewhat, reflecting chiefly a decline in production of iron and steel owing to the bituminous coal work stoppage. In the early part of Jan. steel operations were raised to the peak rates prevailing in the middle of Nov. Activity in machinery and transportation equipment industries showed little change in Dec.

Nonagricultural employment in Dec. remained at the Nov. level, after allowances for seasonal increases in trade. Unemployment increased by about 200,000 persons.

The general level of commodity prices advanced slightly further from the middle of Dec. to the latter part of Jan., reflecting increases in prices of industrial products, offset in part by decreases in prices of most livestock and poultry products, grains, cotton, and canned fruits and vegetables.

Real estate and consumer loans at banks in leading cities continued to increase during Dec. and the first half of Jan. Commercial and industrial loans, following the rapid expansion of the summer and fall months increased only slightly further. Substantial reductions in holdings of Government securities reflected largely the $3.3 billion Treasury note retirement of mid-Dec.

Deposits at member banks increased in the early part of Dec., but declined in the latter half of the month as a result of income tax and other payments. Member bank reserve ballances showed similar fluctuations with little net change for the period as a whole.

Merchant Marine

Representative Fred Bradley (R-Mich), chairman of the House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee, has announced organization of eight subcommittees which will hold hearings on legislatoin referred to them for specialized study.

Four of the subcommittees will handle legislation related to maritime problems, and another was assigned for study of the Panama Canal. The subcommittees and their memberships are:

1. Ship Construction and Operation and Maritime Labor—Representatives Willis W. Bradley (R-Calif), chairman; Henry J. Latham (R-NY), Franklin J. Maloney (R-Pa), Thor C. Tollefson (R-Wash), Raymond H. Burke (R-Ohio), John J. Allen, jr., (R-Calif), Robert Nodar, jr., (R-NY), Edward J. Hart (D-NJ), James Domengeaux (D-La), Henry M. Jackson (D-Wash), Eugene J. Keogh (D-NY), Franck R. Havenner (D-Calif).

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5. Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Public Health Service. (Named in Coast Guard column).

6. Ship Sales, Charters, and Layups—Representatives Weichel, chairman; Latham, Potts, Maloney, Nodar, Keogh, Hart, Domengeaux, and Jackson.

7. Inland Waterways and Fresh-Water Fisheries — Representatives Weichel, chairman; Brophy, Hand, Price, and Rayfiel.

8. Conservation of Wildlife Resources—Representatives Burke, chairman; Miller, Tollefson, Seely-Brown, Brophy, Allen, Havenner, Hart, Bonner, Keogh, and King.

Representative Fred Bradley, meanwhile, has introduced a concurrent resolution demanding the immediate return of more than 200 American merchant ships, chartered to Great Britain during the war.

The resolution states that these vessels were turned over to Great Britain under an agreement between the Administrator of the War Shipping Administration and the Minister of War Transport, dated 24 Nov. 1944.

"Such vessels are being chartered to Great Britain on terms more favorable than those under which charters of vessels are being made by our own citizens and are being used in competition with the American merchant marine," the resolution states.

This is contrary to the intent and purpose of the Ship Sales Act of 1946, the resolution continues. If enacted, it calls for the redelivery of each of the 200 vessels to the United States, "upon completion of any voyage of such vessel in progress on the date of the adoption of this resolution."

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Maj. Anthony E. Siniscalchi, DC, to Anthony Eugene Sini.
Capt. Marjorie A. Bailey, ANC, to Marjorie A. Bailey Noble.
Capt. Margaret R. Morton, WAC, to Margaret Morton Upshaw.
1st Lt. Agnes E. Hansen, ANC, to Agnes H. Graves.
1st Lt. Dorothy M. Pogemiller, ANC, to Dorothy Pogemiller Griffin.
1st Lt. Stanley Rosenblum, AC, to Stanley Rowen.
2nd Lt. Federico Gasataya, CE, to Frederick Gasataya.
2nd Lt. Alfredo R. Santos, Inf., to Alfred R. Santos.
2nd Lt. Isidoro O. Valledor, FA, to Sid O. Valledor.
2nd Lt. Mary E. Wyatt, ANC, to Mary W. Mitchell.
WOJG Leo John Stempkowski, AUS, to Leo John Stempson.
1st Lt. Frances P. Kuniewicz, ANC, to Frances Kuniewicz Dobrolet.
1st Lt. Robert Ellis Liepman, MC, to Robert Liefmann.
1st Lt. Ruth T. Stehling, ANC, to Ruth R. Theison.
2nd Lt. Marguerite F. Boyle, ANC, to Marguerite Boyle Tobin.
2nd Lt. Eva M. Ford, ANC, to Eva Ford Croll.
CWO William G. Troynosky, USA, to William G. Troy

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M. Sgt. C. A. Dively, AAF.
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M. Sgt. J. Parmentier.
M. Sgt. L. A. Quinn.
M. Sgt. A. P. Tomko.
T. Sgt. C. L. Swarms.
M. Sgt. H. G. Addison.
M. Sgt. P. Petrick, QMC.
1st Sgt. J. H. Crow, Inf.
1st Sgt. H. T. Forbes, CMP.
T. Sgt. L. D. Reagan, Cav.
M. Sgt. A. M. Cabading, AAF.
M. Sgt. J. E. Johnson, AAF.
M. Sgt. C. L. Waters, AAF.
M. Sgt. A. Cathcart.
M. Sgt. J. Cavallo.
M. Sgt. J. B. Rothgeb.
1st Sgt. M. A. Rusaw.
M. Sgt. H. E. Trainer.
1st Sgt. T. L. Hovious.
1st Sgt. C. R. Sanders.
T. Sgt. L. Bartoszewa.
Sgt. P. Holloway.
M. Sgt. O. M. Rector.
M. Sgt. S. E. Inabinet, QMC.
M. Sgt. R. H. Benson.
M. Sgt. E. R. Gray.
1st Sgt. O. H. Besse.
T. Sgt. H. T. Adcock.
T. Sgt. K. J. Edwards, DEML.
T. Sgt. J. G. Elias.
T. Sgt. H. G. Helbig.
S. Sgt. T. J. Gilbert.
M. Sgt. A. West.
S. Sgt. D. T. Wilson.
M. Sgt. R. Albin.
M. Sgt. R. F. Montgomery.
M. Sgt. E. Wiley.
T. Sgt. W. Hall.
S. Sgt. H. E. Bailes.
M. Sgt. G. L. Grady.
M. Sgt. T. H. Burnette, DEML.
M. Sgt. G. E. Adamson.
Pfc. J. Peter.
M. Sgt. J. M. Bever.
M. Sgt. E. P. Laybourn
S. Sgt. F. Cruz, CMP.
Sgt. L. W. Salstrom.
M. Sgt. F. Hlas.
M. Sgt. W. D. Holland, TC.
M. Sgt. A. Swaskin, MD.
1st Sgt. J. H. Adams.
T. Sgt. J. Snider.
M. Sgt. H. P. Lott.
M. Sgt. J. W. Cutler.
M. Sgt. H. B. Pate.
1st Sgt. J. G. Hutchinson.
T. Sgt. R. S. Anderson.
T. Sgt. G. Crew.
T. Sgt. O. Reubinall.
S. Sgt. C. R. Frame.
S. Sgt. H. D. Olson.
Sgt. R. Clements.
Sgt. A. Pacheco.
Sgt. A. A. Rudolph.
Pvt. B. J. Lewis.
M. Sgt. W. M. Atkinson.
M. Sgt. H. F. Porter.
M. Sgt. W. H. Woodfin.
T. Sgt. D. Ward.
T. Sgt. B. J. Warnken.
T. Sgt. M. L. Young.
M. Sgt. W. R. Watson, QMC.
S. Sgt. I. Sokolovsky, Cav.
S. Sgt. R. E. Whitt, Inf.
M. Sgt. B. Nilsen, AAF.
S. Sgt. G. W. LaBrie, AAF.
M. Sgt. M. P. Malick.
1st Sgt. R. Pependrea.
T. Sgt. D. Little.
M. Sgt. W. J. Smithy.
1st Sgt. J. E. Porter.
1st Sgt. P. O'Hara.
M. Sgt. F. S. Akelewics.
M. Sgt. J. Ebner.
M. Sgt. M. N. Stein.
S. Sgt. W. E. Russell.
M. Sgt. A. M. Ayers, QMC.
1st Sgt. B. Melvin, CAC.
1st Sgt. G. Ross.
T. Sgt. G. Wilson.
Sgt. W. D. Gribble, Inf.
M. Sgt. E. S. Snavely, sr.
M. Sgt. M. Cary.
M. Sgt. W. H. Hilleary.
T. Sgt. S. F. Turney.
Cpl. J. Lleras.
M. Sgt. V. L. Harden.
M. Sgt. C. A. Price.
M. Sgt. F. L. Fiveash, Inf.
S. Sgt. B. Witherspoon, CE.
Sgt. R. W. Allen, DEML.

Gen. Ingles to Retire

Although his tour of duty as Chief Signal Officer of the Army does not expire until 30 June, Maj. Gen. Harry C. Ingles, USA, will be retired 31 March on his own application.

No successor has yet been appointed, but it is understood that a nomination will be sent to the Senate shortly.

Army Appointments Clarified

Because of an ambiguity in existing law in relation to the date of commissioning of officers in the Regular Army, the War Department has submitted legislation to make the "time of appointment" be the date on which the President nominates an officer when Congress is in session or appoints him when Congress is not in session. S. 436, introduced by Senator Gurney (R-S Dak), embodies the amendment to existing law.

In a letter to Congress, Secretary of War Patterson states:

"An examination of the Act of 28 Dec. 1945 will reveal that the status of every person appointed to a commissioned grade in the Regular Army under that Act, with the exception of a very few youthful individuals, is to be determined solely by the age of the person concerned at the date of his 'appointment'. As it is generally recognized that four separate acts (nomination, confirmation, tender and acceptance) must occur before an appointment may be considered to have been perfected or consummated, the use in the statute of the term 'time of appointment' is necessarily ambiguous.

"In view of the large number of persons who are to be appointed officers of the Regular Army under the mentioned statute; it is imperative that the President and those persons who necessarily assist him in the administration of the Act be able to plan with certainty so that the persons selected by them will not, due to any unforeseen delay, become ineligible for appointment in a particular grade and eligible for some other grade, or wholly ineligible. Accordingly, as the only one of the four elements of a consummated appointment over which the President exercises exclusive control as to the time of its occurrence is the date of the nomination, it is deemed to be of utmost importance that that date be employed in fixing rights which accrue under the mentioned statute. This dilemma will be resolved by enactment of the accompanying bill which, by its terms, proposes to fix the date of nomination by the President if the Senate is in session, or, if the Senate is in recess, the time of the recess appointment by the President, as the date or time of appointment under the provisions of the present law."

Use of Atomic Bomb

President Truman, in a letter to Dr. Karl T. Compton, president of MIT, has revealed that the final decision of the use of atomic bombs against Japan "had to be made by the President, and was made after a complete survey of the whole situation had been made."

The President's letter appears in the February issue of *The Atlantic Monthly*. In the same issue is an article by Dr. Compton entitled "If the Atomic Bomb Had Not Been Used."

In *Harpers Magazine* was published texts of memorandums written by Mr. Henry Stimson, wartime Secretary of War, after talks with President Roosevelt before his death, and with President Truman, in which he outlined the disadvantages of a landing on the Japanese homeland and cited the need for a warning to Japan "to surrender and permit the occupation of her country in order to insure its complete demilitarization for the sake of the future peace."

Mr. Stimson, outlining a proposed program for Japan on 2 July 1945, wrote that "the operation for the occupation of Japan following the landing may be a very long, costly, and arduous struggle on our part." Because of the national spirit of the Japanese and their fanatical resistance to repel invasion, he wrote, "we shall incur the losses incident to such a war and we shall have to leave the Japanese islands even more thoroughly destroyed than was the case with Germany."

He noted that the United States possessed "enormously favorable factors on our side—factors much weightier than those we had against Germany."

President Truman, in his letter to Dr. Compton, said "The Japanese were given fair warning, and were offered the terms which they finally accepted, well in advance of the dropping of the bomb. I imagine the bomb caused them to accept the terms."

Close military participation in the new United States Atomic Energy Commission was promised this week by David Lilienthal in sessions of the Congressional Atomic Energy Commission considering his nomination as chairman of the commission.

Army Medical Personnel

The general reduction in the strength of the Army during 1946, plus the reduction in patient load from 168,157 to 55,326, brought about profound changes in the numbers and types of Army Medical Department personnel remaining on active duty, according to the Surgeon General's Office.

The following chart indicates gains and losses of Medical Department officer personnel during 1946, and the status of such personnel on active duty as of 1 Jan. 1947:

	MC	VC	DC	SnC and MAC	ANC	MDD and PT
Strength 31 Dec. 1945	27,050	9,600	1,450	13,900	27,850	1,950
Assigned to VA, 31 Dec. 1945	1,350	150	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serving in the Army, 31 Dec. 1945	25,700	9,450	1,450	13,900	24,850	1,950
Losses 31 Dec. 1945-31 Dec. 1946	22,900	9,100	1,125	11,475	21,750	1,375
Gains 31 Dec. 1945-31 Dec. 1946	5,000	1,675a/	125	625	500	225
Strength, 31 Dec. 1946	9,150	2,175	500	3,050	6,600	800
Assigned to VA, 31 Dec. 1946	1,350	75	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serving in the Army, 31 Dec. 1946	7,800	2,100	500	3,050	6,600	800
Regular Army	1,200	350	175	625	750	...
Cat. I Volunteers	625	150	125	1,875	4,100	350
Cat. II Volunteers	525	100	25	175	1,400	300
Other Volunteers	150	25	75	250	350	50
Non-Volunteers	5,300	1,475b/	100	125	.....	100

a/ Includes 800 Navy.
b/ Includes 650 Navy.

The following conditions prevail in the various Corps of the Medical Department:

Medical Corps

There are sufficient general medical officers on duty to adequately fill the needs of the Army for that type officer. A shortage does exist among specialists, particularly surgeons, orthopedic surgeons, plastic surgeons, pathologists, anesthetists and others. A residency and refresher training program in which Regular Army medical officers will participate annually is expected to bring about some relief in regard to specialist shortages.

Dental Corps

During 1946 approximately 950 recent dental graduates entered active duty through the operation of Selective Service and 800 Naval dental officers were made available to the Army to alleviate a critical shortage. While the number of dentists currently on duty can adequately service the needs of the Army as they exist today, as the year progresses and officers become eligible for separation, a shortage will again be created unless some means of securing replacement dental officers is provided.

Veterinary Corps

Although the War Department authorized a procurement objective for the commissioning of 200 veterinarians from civilian life during 1946, only 112 officers were secured through this means. An additional 13 returned to active duty. As a consequence, the number of Veterinary Corps officers on active duty is not adequate to fill the minimum veterinary needs of the army at its current strength. This shortage is such that newly commissioned personnel have had to be immediately placed in assignments rather than be sent to school as was normally done. As officers obtain eligibility for separation during the year a more severe shortage will develop and steps will have to be taken to secure qualified replacements.

Pharmacy Corps and Medical Administrative Corps

The number of Pharmacy Corps and Medical Administrative Corps officers currently on active duty is adequate to fill their mission. It is not expected that shortages will develop in these branches during the year.

Sanitary Corps

The number of Sanitary Corps officers is not adequate to fulfill the mission of this corps. Although a procurement objective was established for this corps and authorization for recall to active duty exists, it has not been possible to secure the desired number of qualified Sanitary Corps officers.

Army Nurse Corps

The most serious shortage among Medical Department personnel exists in the Army Nurse Corps. Losses in this Corps during 1946 amounted to 21,750 and were offset by gains of only 500. Unfilled requisitions now in the Surgeon General's Office total approximately 800. In order to make this personnel available a concerted effort is being made to recall to active duty approximately 500 nurses who formerly served with the armed forces and to commission an additional 300 qualified registered civilian nurses as second lieutenants, Army of the United States. Legislation is pending to establish the Army Nurse Corps as an integral part of the Regular Army and if this is done priority will be given to nurses who have served, or who are now serving, with the army and who meet physical and age requirements.

Medical Department Dietitians

The number of Medical Department Dietitians currently on duty is not sufficient to meet basic requirements. Permission has been secured to recall to active duty 50 dietitians and a procurement objective has been authorized to commission from civilian life 50 qualified dietitians. An additional recall quota and procurement will have to be sought during the year if replacements are to be provided for those dietitians who become eligible for release from the service.

Physical Therapists

The number of physical therapists currently on active duty is adequate to accomplish the mission of that Corps. During the year it is expected that approximately 160 will become eligible for relief from active duty and some steps will have to be taken to recruit sufficient qualified personnel to fill the shortages.

Congressmen Study Promotion

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tives Drewry of Virginia, Johnson of Texas, Kilday of Texas, and Sikes of Florida.

Discussing the problems they will be called upon to solve, Representative Bates, who was a member of the old Naval Affairs Committee and helped to secure enactment of the retirement bill for the service, said that he favors equalization of benefits for both the Army and Navy.

Representative Paul J. Kilday (D-Tex) also voiced his belief in the necessity of maintaining adequate Reserve and National Guard units in time of peace, saying that he hopes to see a retirement bill benefiting personnel who remain in these components.

While awaiting legislation from both Departments amending existing permanent promotion procedures, the members of the Personnel subcommittee indicated they have given considerable thought to the problem.

Representative Bates, having had a hand in shaping the selection system in use by the Navy at the start of the war, declared that he wants to see the Army adopt the principle of selection in its promotion policies.

Some service-in-grade requirements will be necessary, he declared, in order to check advancements he described as from "Private to Colonel in five years."

With some service-in-grade requirements in force, he said, "I favor a selection system based on intelligence, experience, and ability to do the job."

Representatives Kilday and Sikes, however, were critical of the selection system, which, they said, permits the creation of cliques which perpetuate themselves in power. This has long been a basis of criticism of the Navy selection system.

Representative Leslie C. Arends (R-Ill), who is second to Chairman Short as senior majority member of the Personnel subcommittee, said he is "fundamentally interested in selective service and compulsory military training." He declared he has no special views on promotion or retirement legislation at this time, but will give these matters his consideration when they are presented in full to the committee.

Mr. Arends also voiced his interest in maintaining present budget estimates for the services, without cuts. However, he declared, he believes that funds should be spent more "prudently" than at present.

Representative Sikes (D-Fla), author of a measure providing for retirement of Army Reserves, said that he believes most members of the subcommittee favor some form of legislation recognizing the value of the Organized Reserve and National Guard components as a force ready for immediate mobilization.

Representative Sikes said he favors enactment of a retirement bill containing some "reward" for past service as well as "incentive" for future service in Reserve components. Those "who sweated out the lean years," he declared, probably saved a year of fighting.